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KATY KEENE

KATY, I *KNOW* YOU'RE
A REAL DOLL,
BUT I HAD NO *IDEA*!

TOY * DEPA

COMPUTER

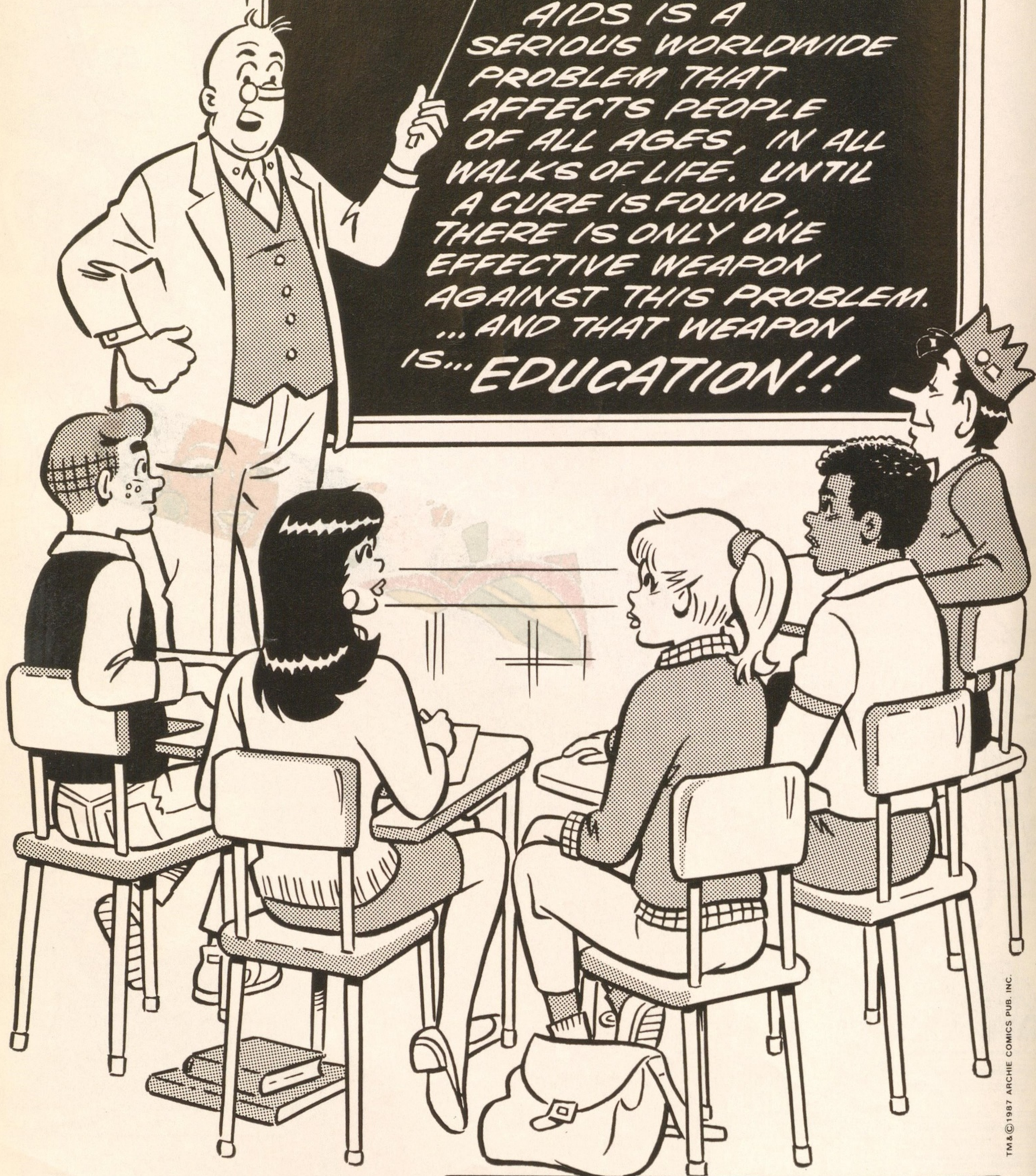


KATY AS "A REAL DOLL"? SEE INSIDE!!

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HEALTH EDUCATION

AIDS IS A
SERIOUS WORLDWIDE
PROBLEM THAT
AFFECTS PEOPLE
OF ALL AGES, IN ALL
WALKS OF LIFE. UNTIL
A CURE IS FOUND,
THERE IS ONLY ONE
EFFECTIVE WEAPON
AGAINST THIS PROBLEM.
... AND THAT WEAPON
IS... **EDUCATION!!**



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KATY KEENE

"A Real Doll"

ONE SNOWY DAY IN THE CITY, WHILE DOING SOME CHRISTMAS SHOPPING WITH ARNOLD, KATY IS NOTICED BY 3 LITTLE MEN...



KATY'S FASHION BY
TERI ANN McMAHON,
BELLEVILLE ONT.
CANADA

ARNOLD'S BY
LOUISE CORRANS
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SOUTH AFRICA

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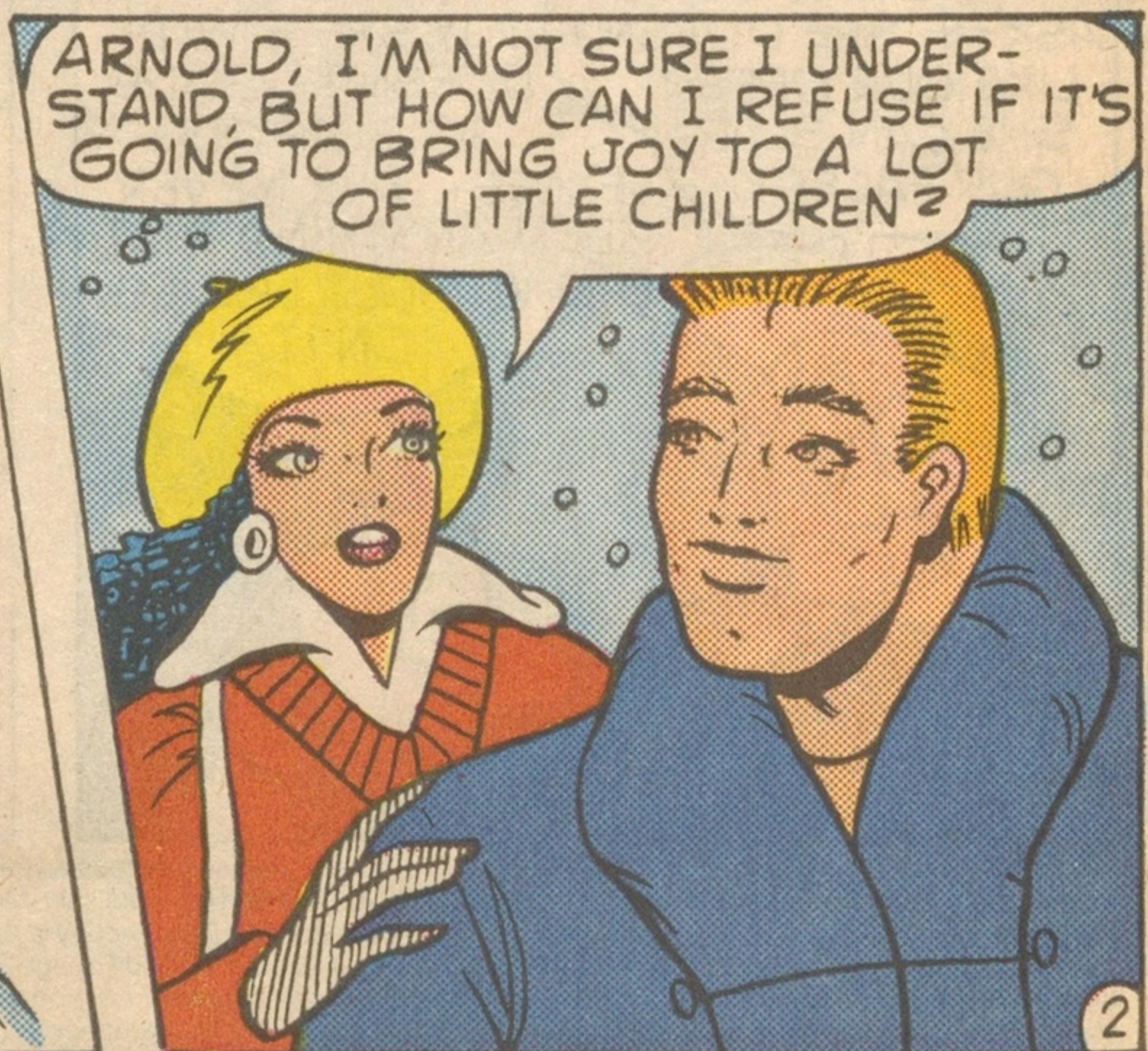
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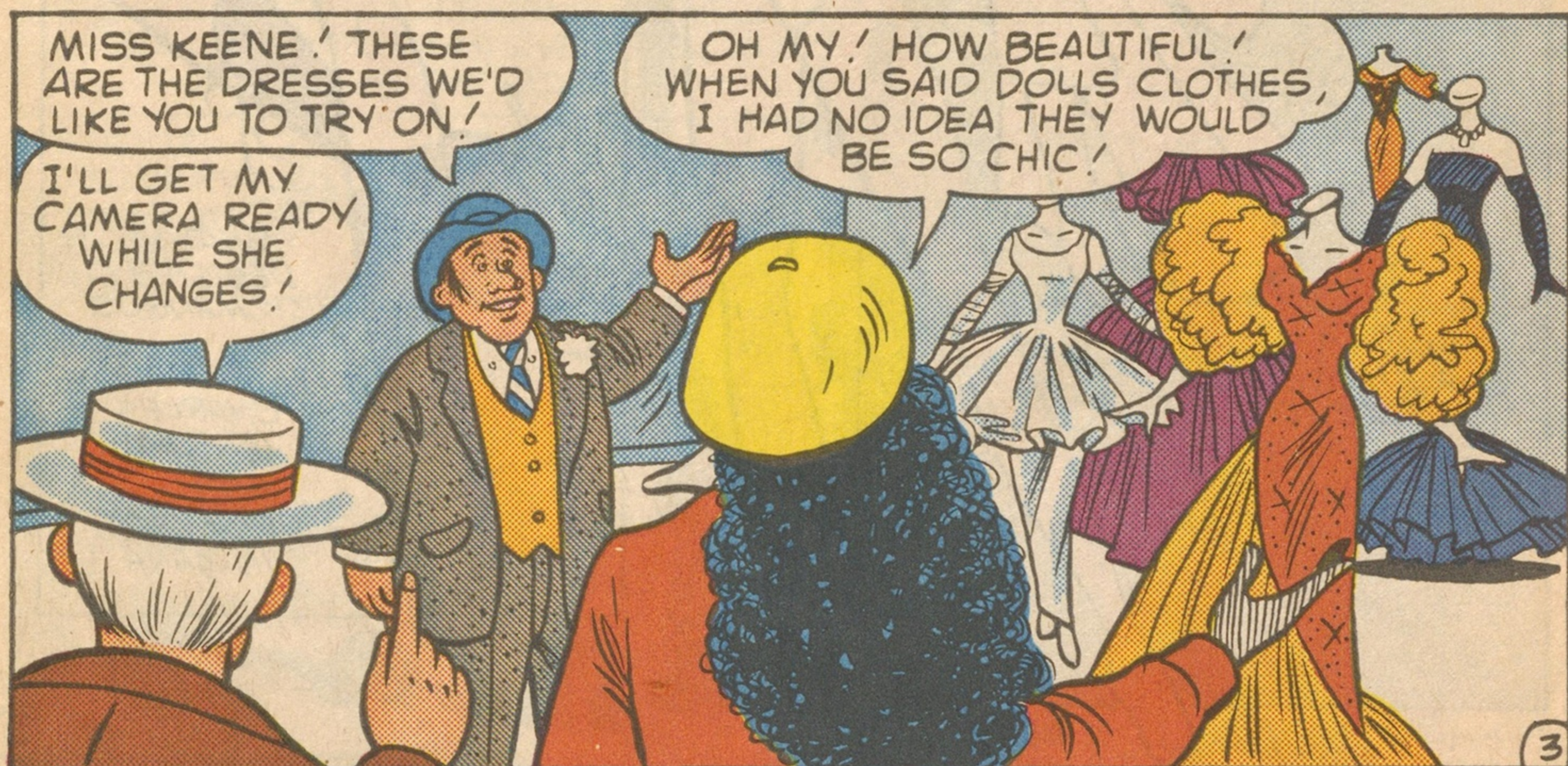
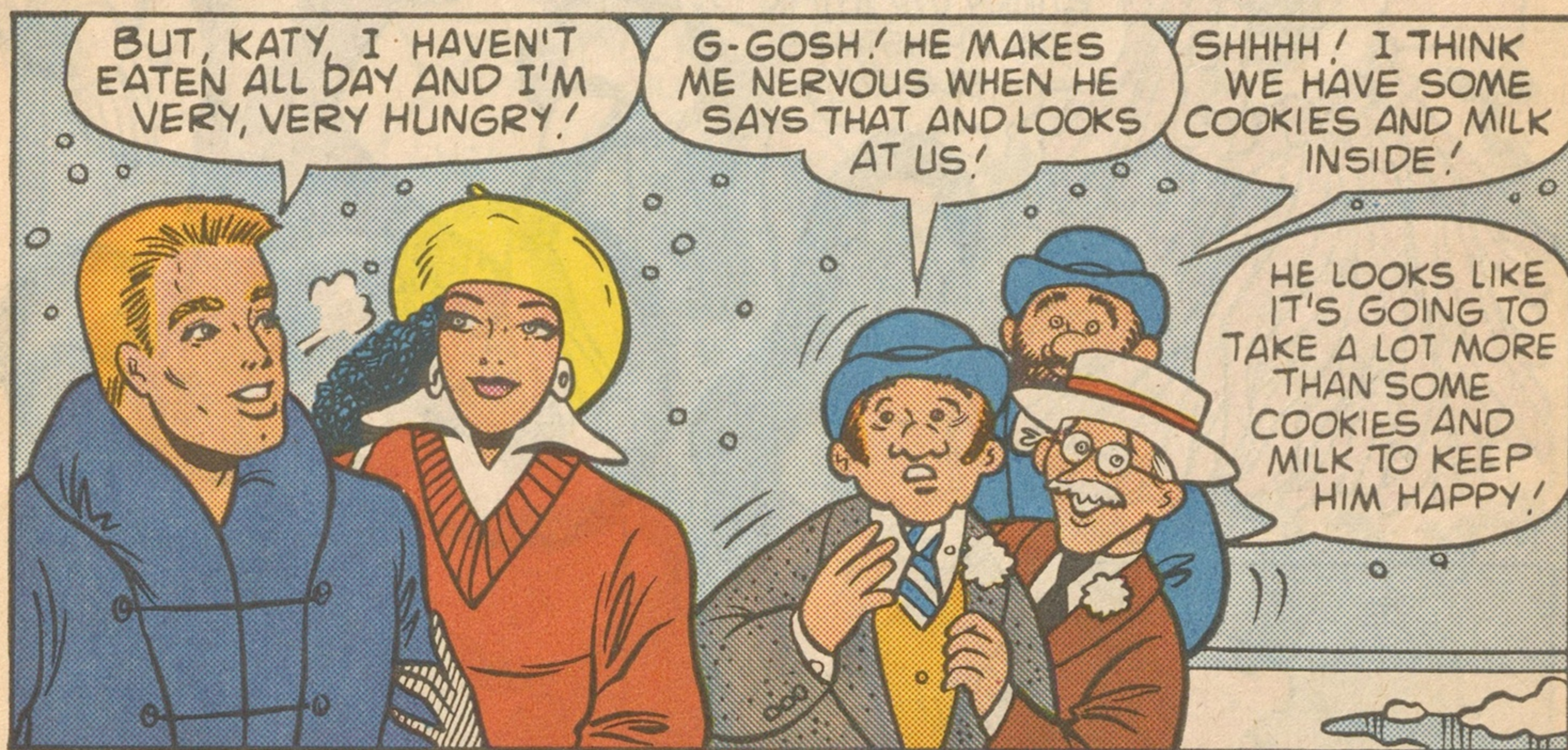
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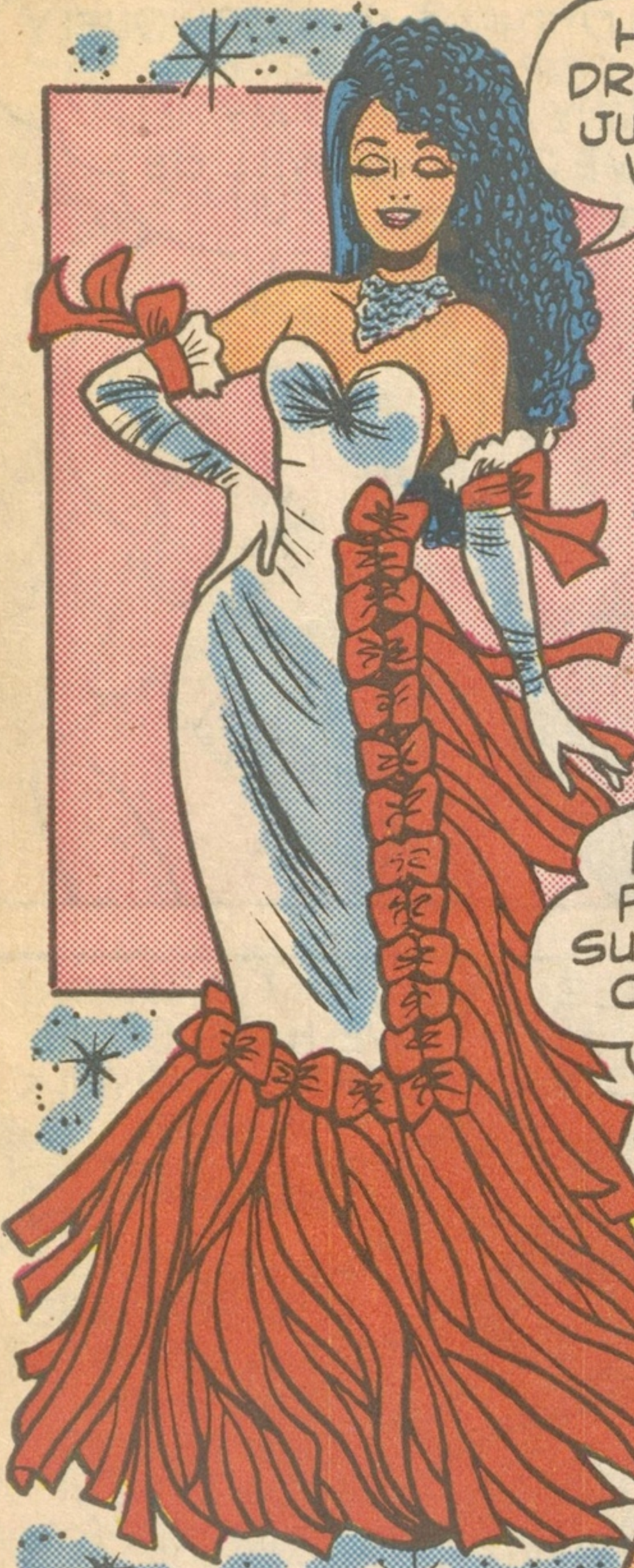
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HERE'S A FABULOUS
DRESS OF SHINY RIBBONS-
JUST LIKE THOSE GORGEOUSLY
WRAPPED GIFTS YOU
HATE TO OPEN!

GOWN BY:
NICOLE DAVIS,
GAINESVILLE FLA.
-AND-
JAMIE JETER,
UNION, S.C.



EVEN A BIKINI!
PERFECT FOR A
SUNNY VACATION
ON CHRISTMAS
ISLAND!

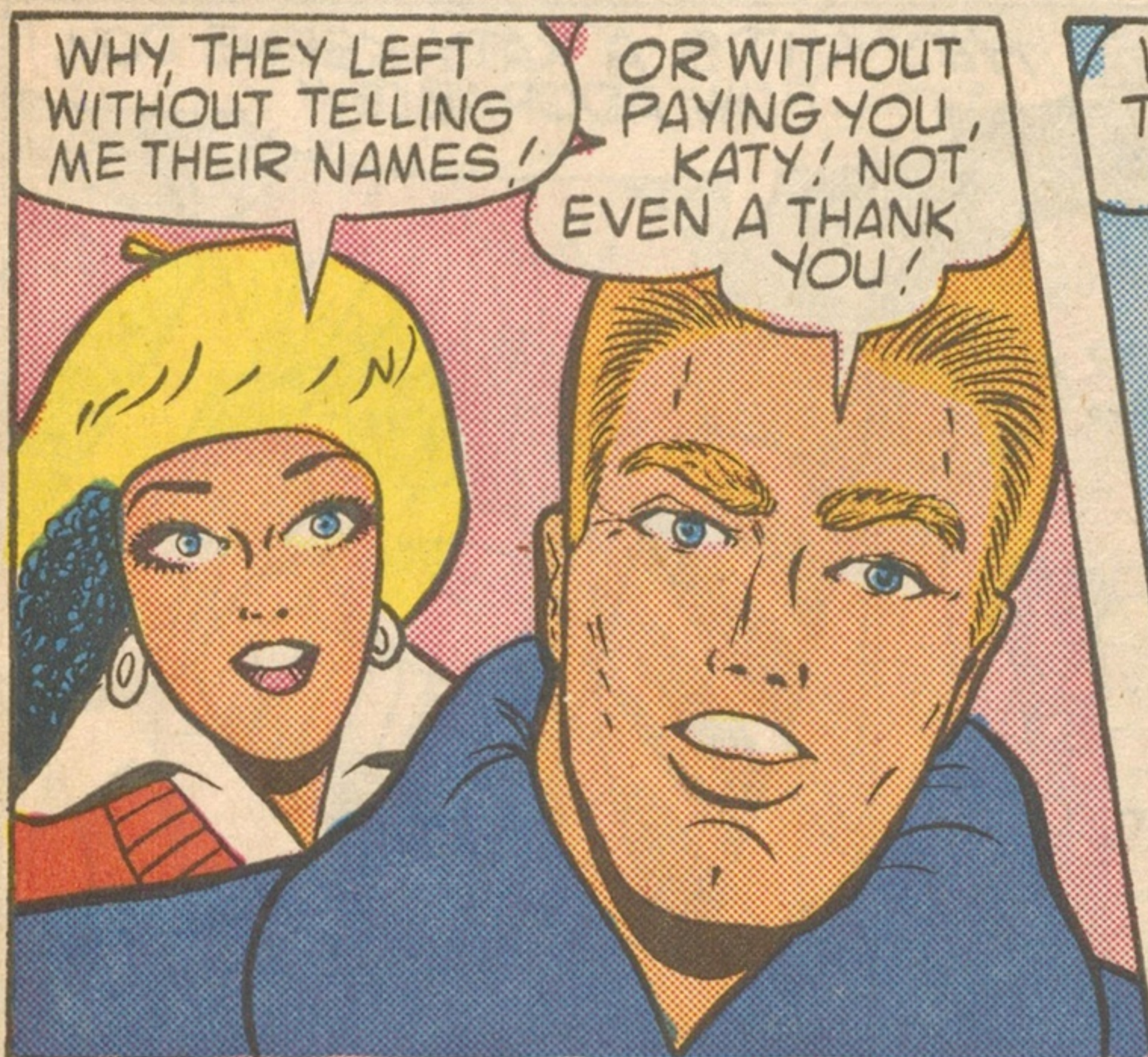
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CONCORD,
CALIFORNIA



AND A SKATING
OUTFIT TO DANCE
ACROSS THE
WINTER ICE!

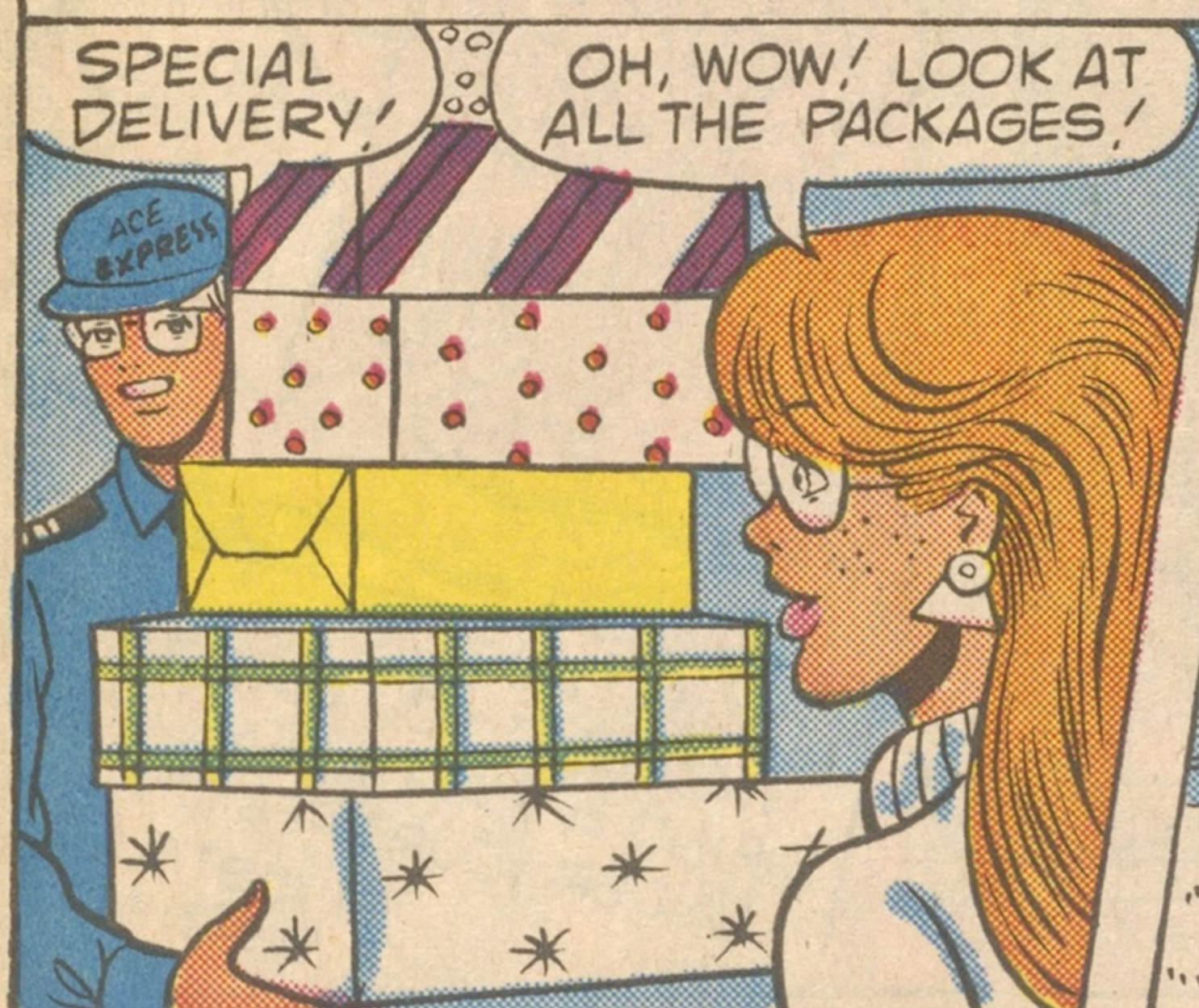
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NICK MANGOS

- AND -
CHARLES
VENTURA,
BOTH OF
MERRILLVILLE,
INDIANA



SIS' FASHION BY: MELINDA MERRIT, HOLT MICHIGAN

AND ON CHRISTMAS EVE WHEN SIS ANSWERS THE DOOR---

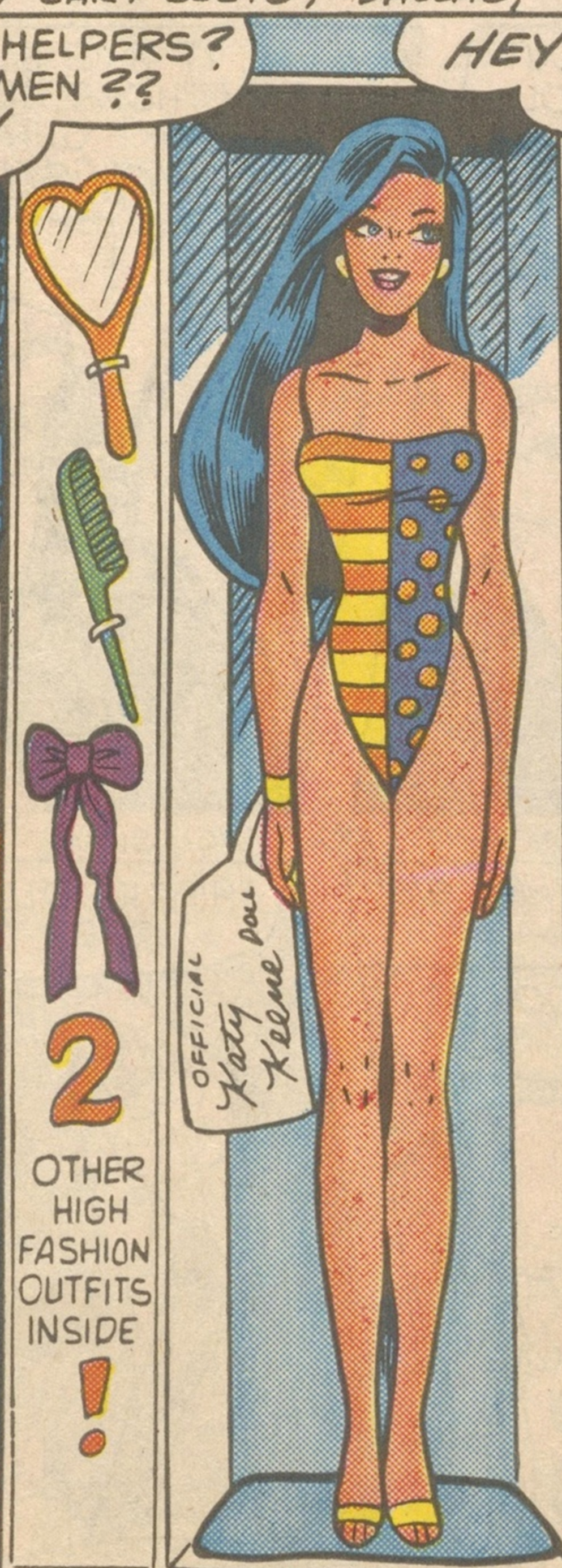




KATY'S SWEATER BY CARY SZETO, DALLAS, TX.



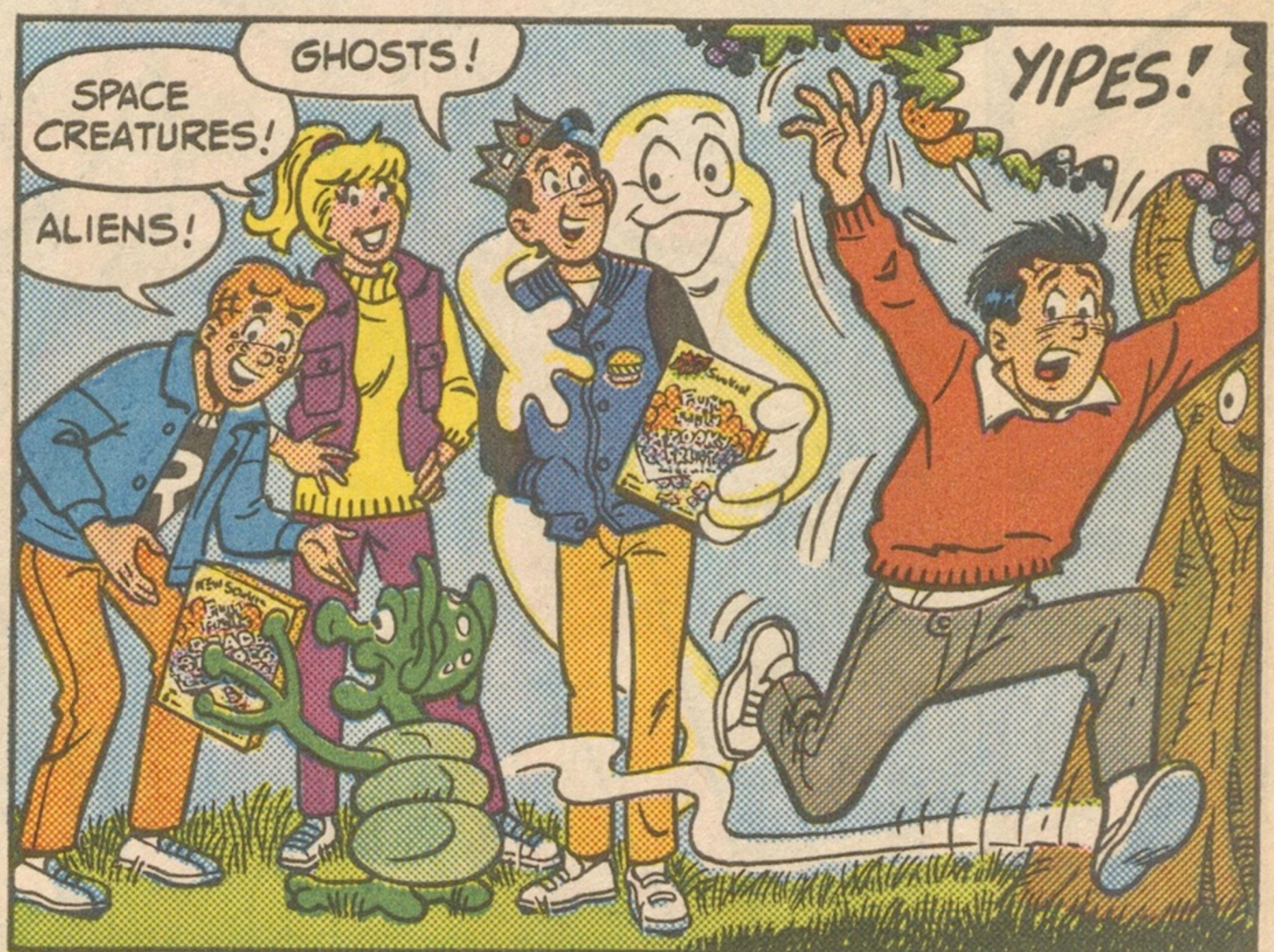
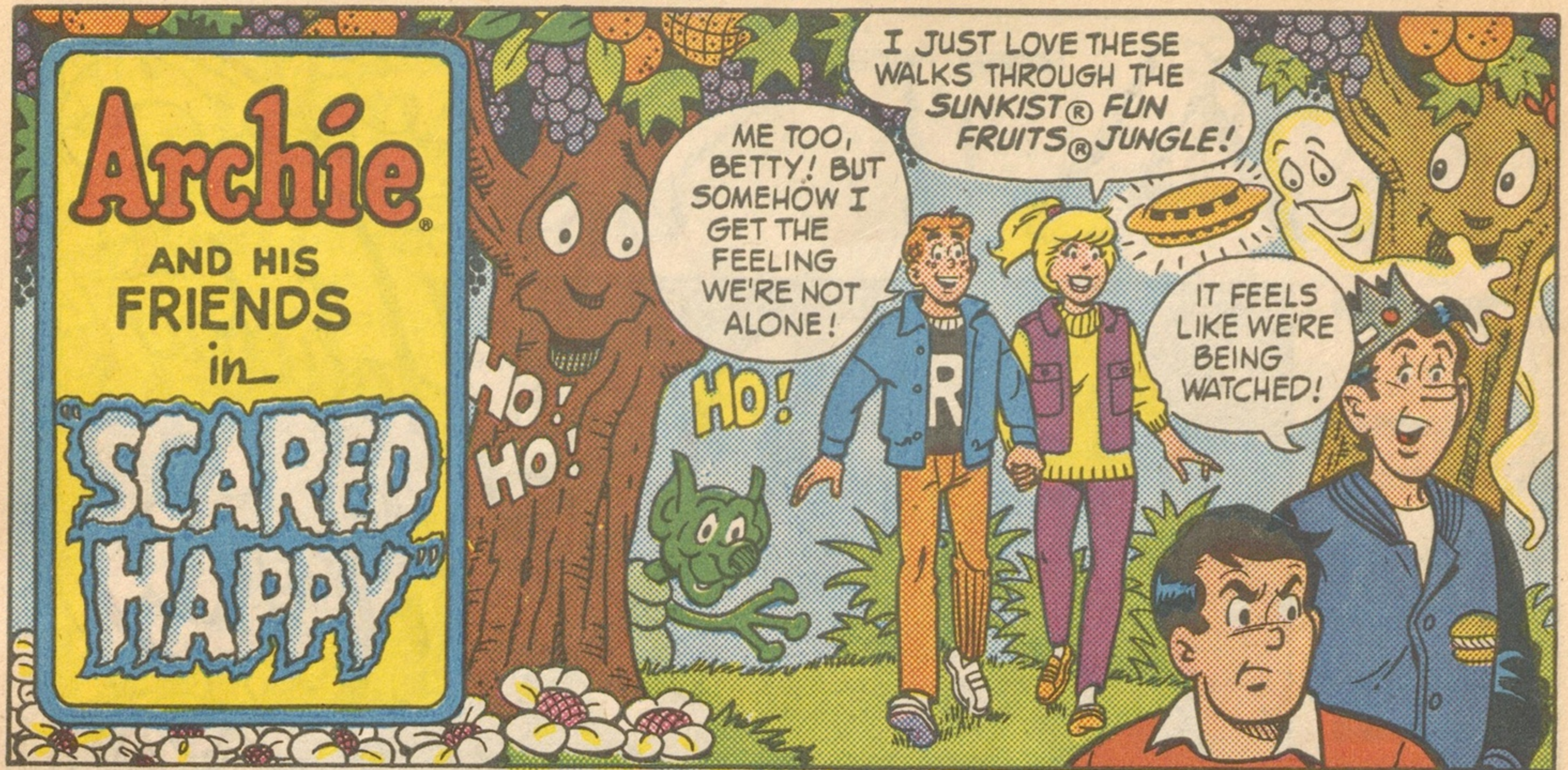
DOLL'S SWIMSUIT BY NICOLE DAVIS, GAINESVILLE, FL.



-THE END-



DEAR FANS - WOULDN'T YOU LOVE TO FIND A KATY KEENE DOLL UNDER YOUR TREE ON CHRISTMAS MORNING?!



KATY

KEENE

Holiday
Magic



-by-
JOHN
LUCAS

FASHION DESIGN BY
CHARLES VENTURA, MERRILLVILLE, IN.

SEND YOUR DESIGNS TO KATY KEENE, c/o ARCHIE COMICS, INC., 325 FAYETTE AVE., MAMARONECK, N.Y. 10543

KATY'S Christmas Crossword Puzzle!

HERE'S ANOTHER FUN PUZZLE TO DO WHEN YOU'RE FINISHED DECORATING YOUR TREE!

AND WHEN YOUR PUZZLE'S DONE, GO RIGHT TO SLEEP SO I CAN DELIVER MY PRESENTS TO YOU!



KATY'S FASHION BY
CARY SZETO,
DALLAS, TX.



Ho
Ho
Ho!

KATY ♥ KEENE

ACROSS -

2. CHRISTMAS SONGS.
3. SANTA'S CHIN GROWTH.
6. PULLED BY SANTA'S REINDEER.
10. CHILDREN'S PLAYTHINGS.
11. WRAPPED UNDER THE CHRISTMAS TREE.
13. SANTA'S SUIT COLOR.
17. WHAT ARNOLD DRINKS IN STORY "CHEERS FOR THE NEW YEAR" (THIS ISSUE)
18. KATY & SIS' PET CAT'S NAME (SEE STORY "THE CAT'S MEOW")
19. KATY'S RED-HAIRED GIRLFRIEND.
20. SANTA'S FOOTWEAR.
21. KATY'S BOYFRIEND (SEE COVER.)
22. CHRISTMAS' MONTH.
23. JOLLY OLD SAINT NICHOLAS.

DOWN -

1. FIRST MONTH OF THE NEW YEAR.
2. DECEMBER 25th IS _____.
4. SANTA'S LITTLE HELPERS.
5. THEY PULL SANTA'S SLEIGH.
7. STATE THAT KATY & SIS' UNCLE HANK & AUNT SELMA LIVE IN - SEE "THE CHRISTMAS PUMPKIN".
8. SANTA'S ADDRESS.
9. GET CHRISTMAS KISS BELOW THIS.
12. THE RED-NOSED REINDEER.
14. FIGURE SCULPTED OUTSIDE - MADE FROM DECEMBER'S WHITE STUFF.
15. SNOW'S COLOR.
16. KATY'S RIVAL.

By
JOHN
LUCAS

KATY'S
SIS
in

THE Christmas PUMPKIN

SIS IS SPENDING A FEW DAYS OF HER CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS WITH HER AUNT SELMA AND UNCLE HANK ON THEIR FARM IN KANSAS--

OH LOOK, AUNT SELMA!
IT SNOWED LAST NIGHT!

HOW WONDERFUL, MELISSA!
YOU KNOW, THIS GIVES ME
AN IDEA FOR A SPECIAL
CHRISTMAS PARTY!



SCRIPT: RICHARD PIETRZYK

PENCILLING: JOHN LUCAS

INKING: CHIC STONE

IT DOES?

OH MY, YES! LET'S INVITE
ALL THE KIDS FROM THE
SURROUNDING FARMS AND
HAVE A SNOWMAN
BUILDING CONTEST!



FANTASTIC!

WE'LL SEE WHO CAN
CREATE THE BEST "SNOW
PERSON" - AND I'LL BAKE
SOME PIES! WE'LL HAVE
HOT DOGS AND COCOA!



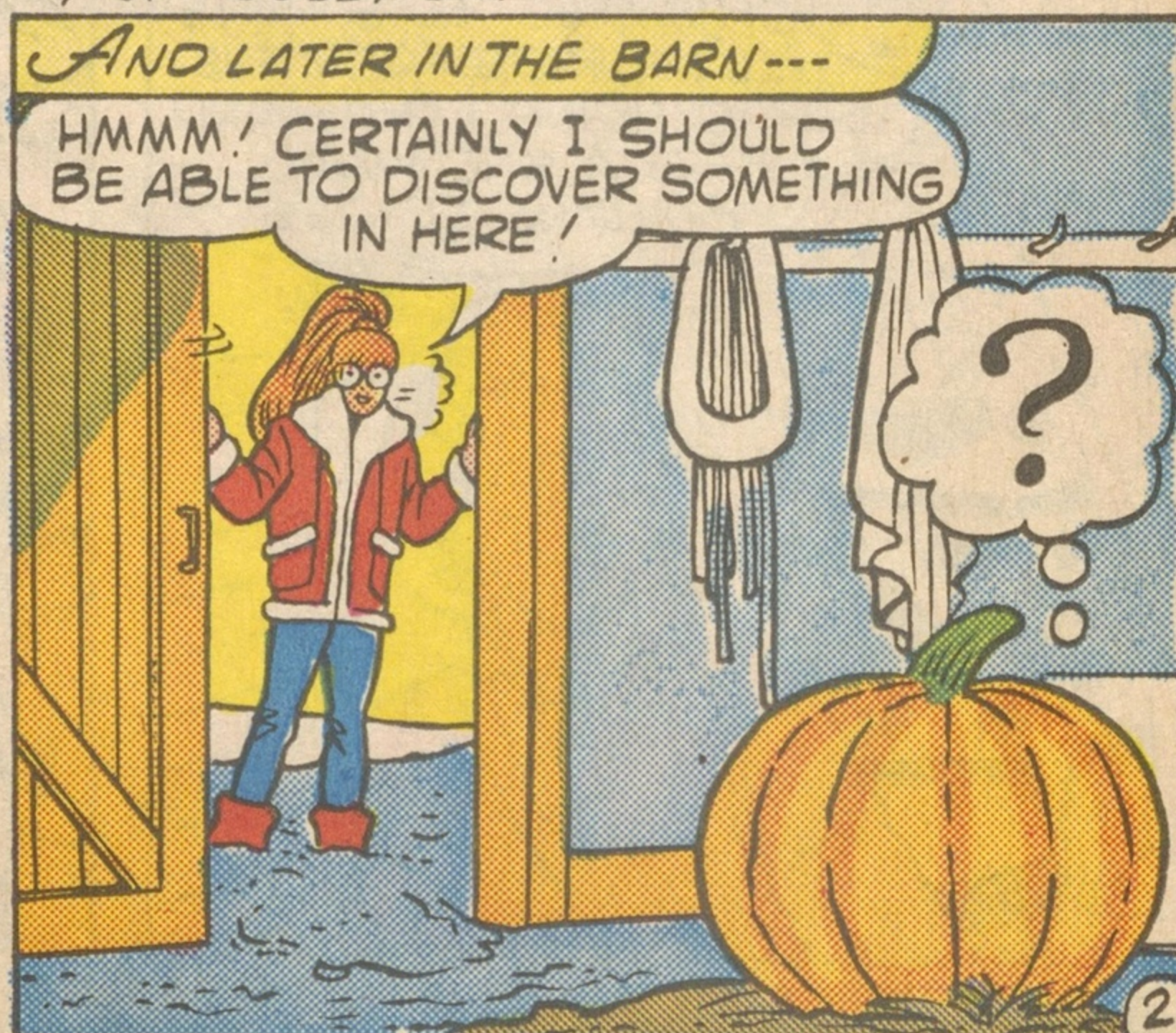
★ ARCHIE COMICS AND DIGESTS ARE NOW ON SALE AT ALL B. DALTON
STORES, WALDENBOOKS AND AT MOST SUPERMARKET CHECK-OUTS!! ★

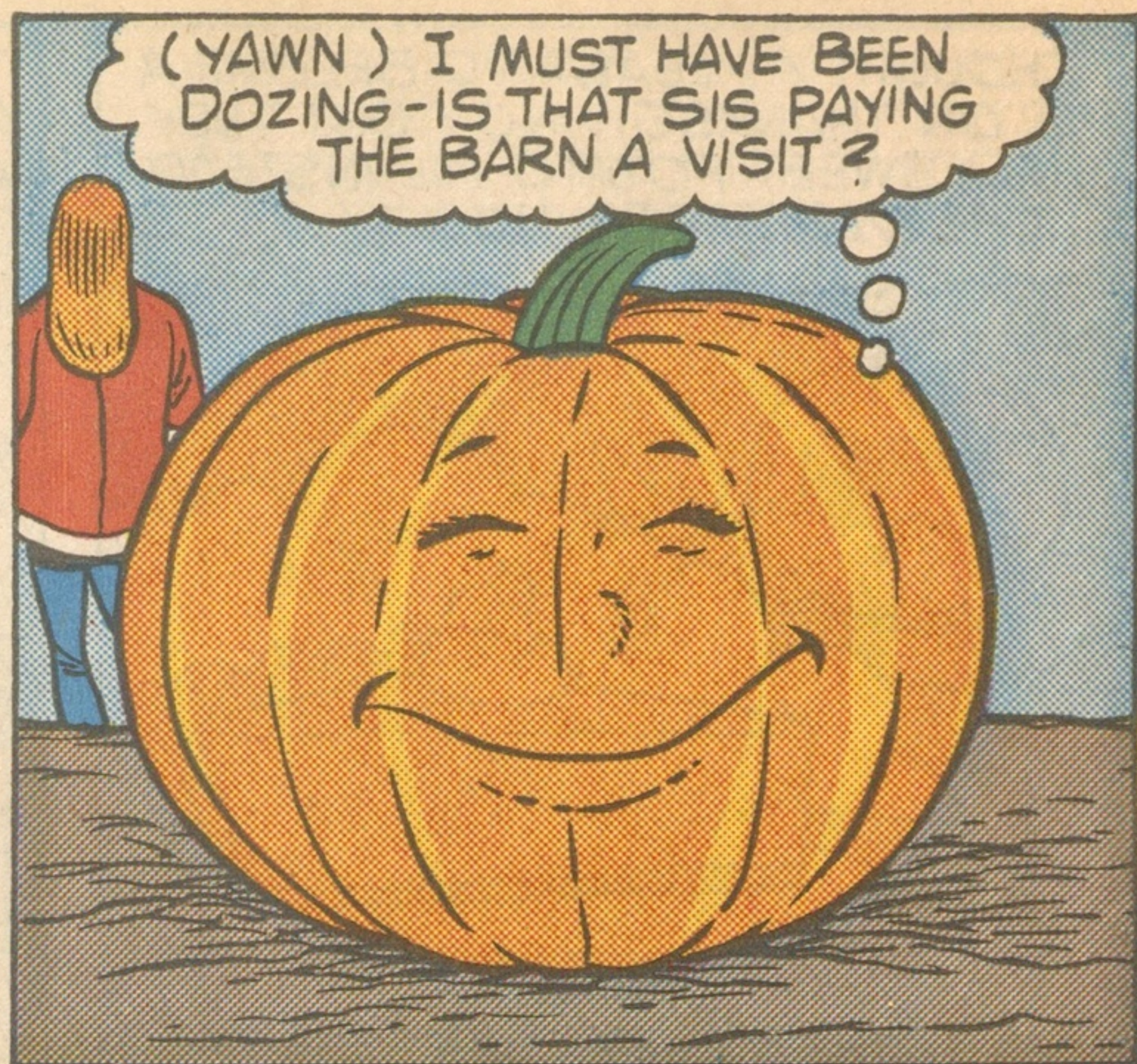


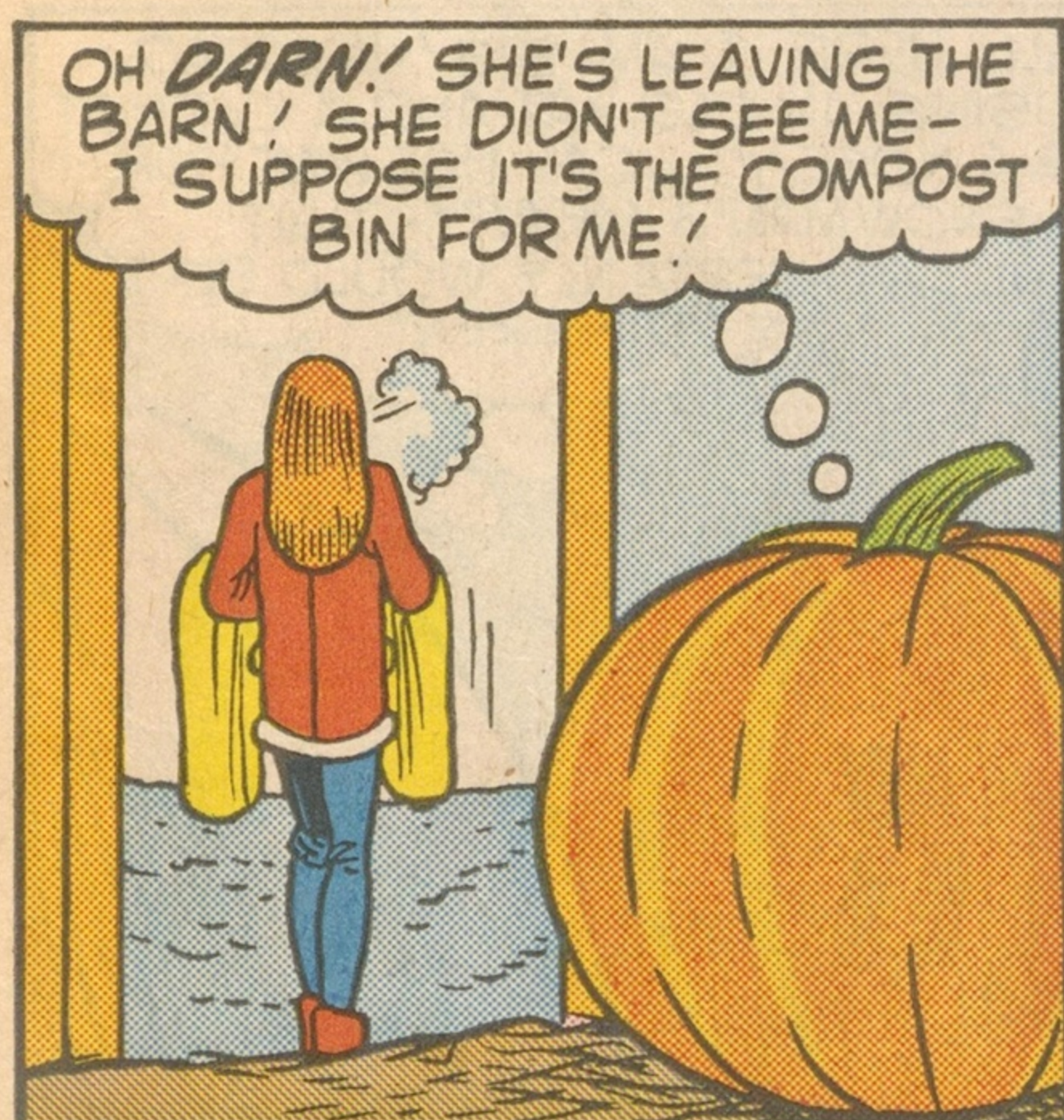
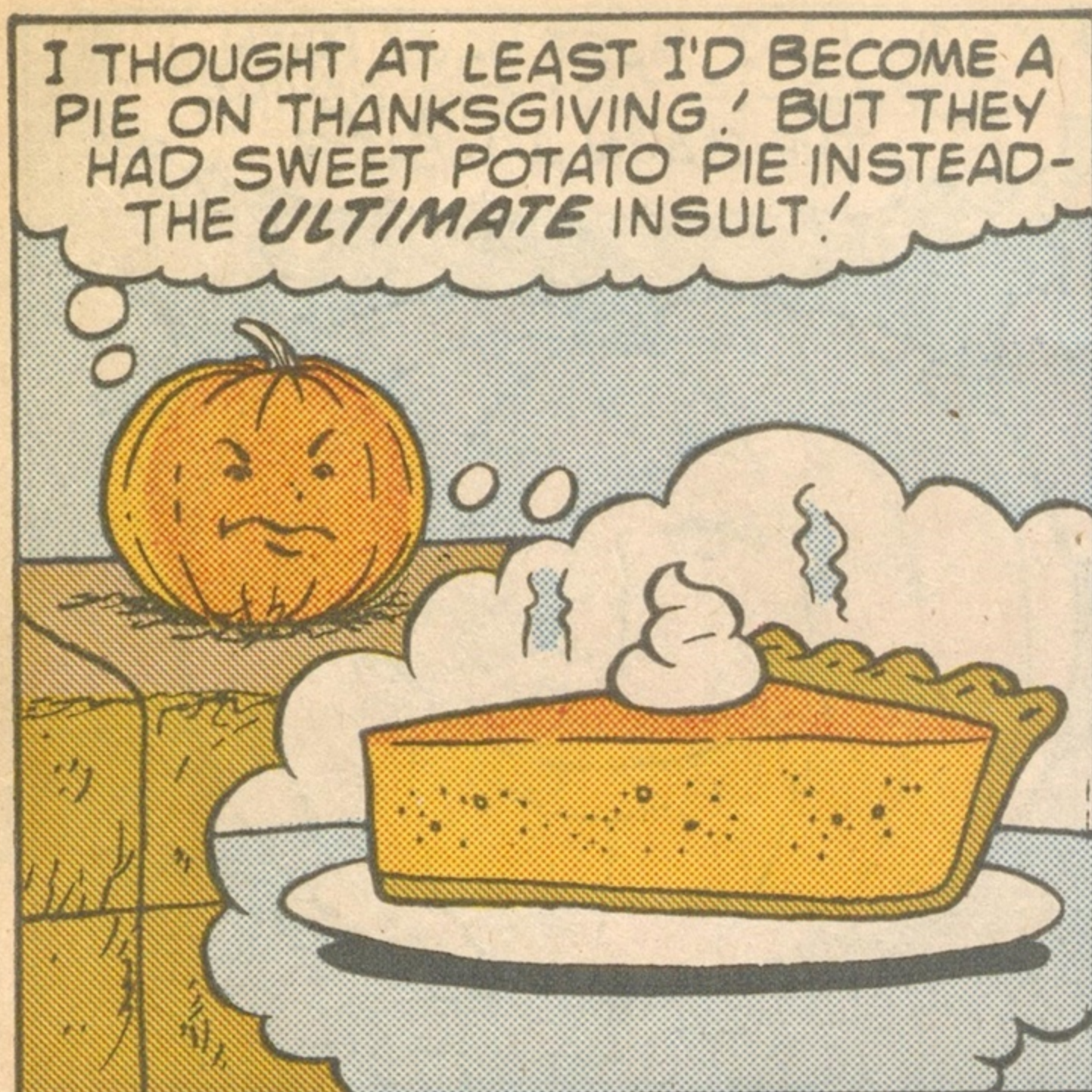
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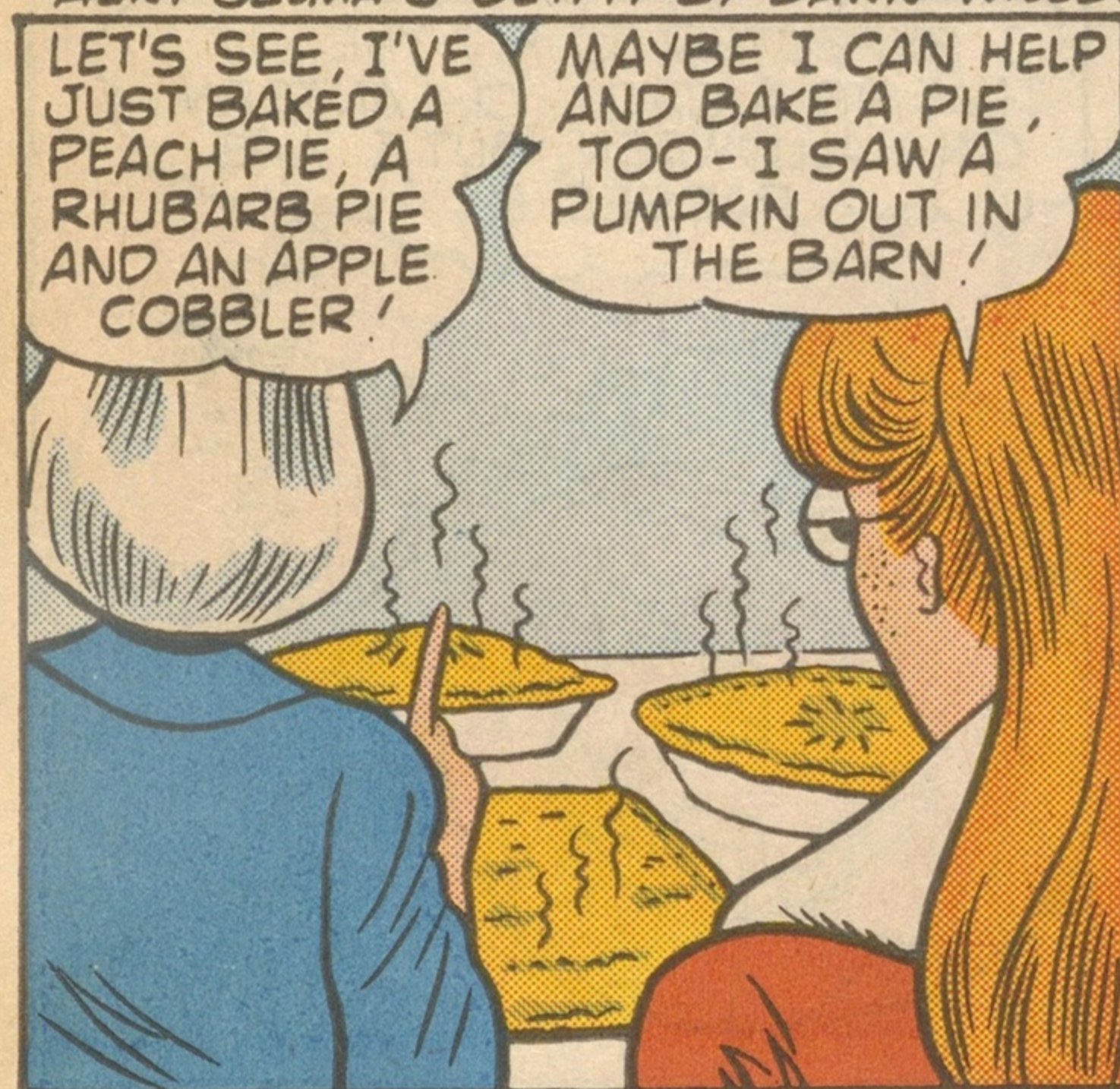
SIS' WINTER OUTFIT BY HAN PHAM, SAN JOSE, CA.







AUNT SELMA'S OUTFIT BY DAWN WILLEVER, POMPTON PLAINS, N.J.





WINTER OUTFITS DESIGNED BY HEATHER SMITH, BOWDIONHAM, MAINE



SIS' OUTFIT BY
PEPSI BLANE
TUBA CITY, AZ.

HAPPY
HOLIDAYS!
THE
END

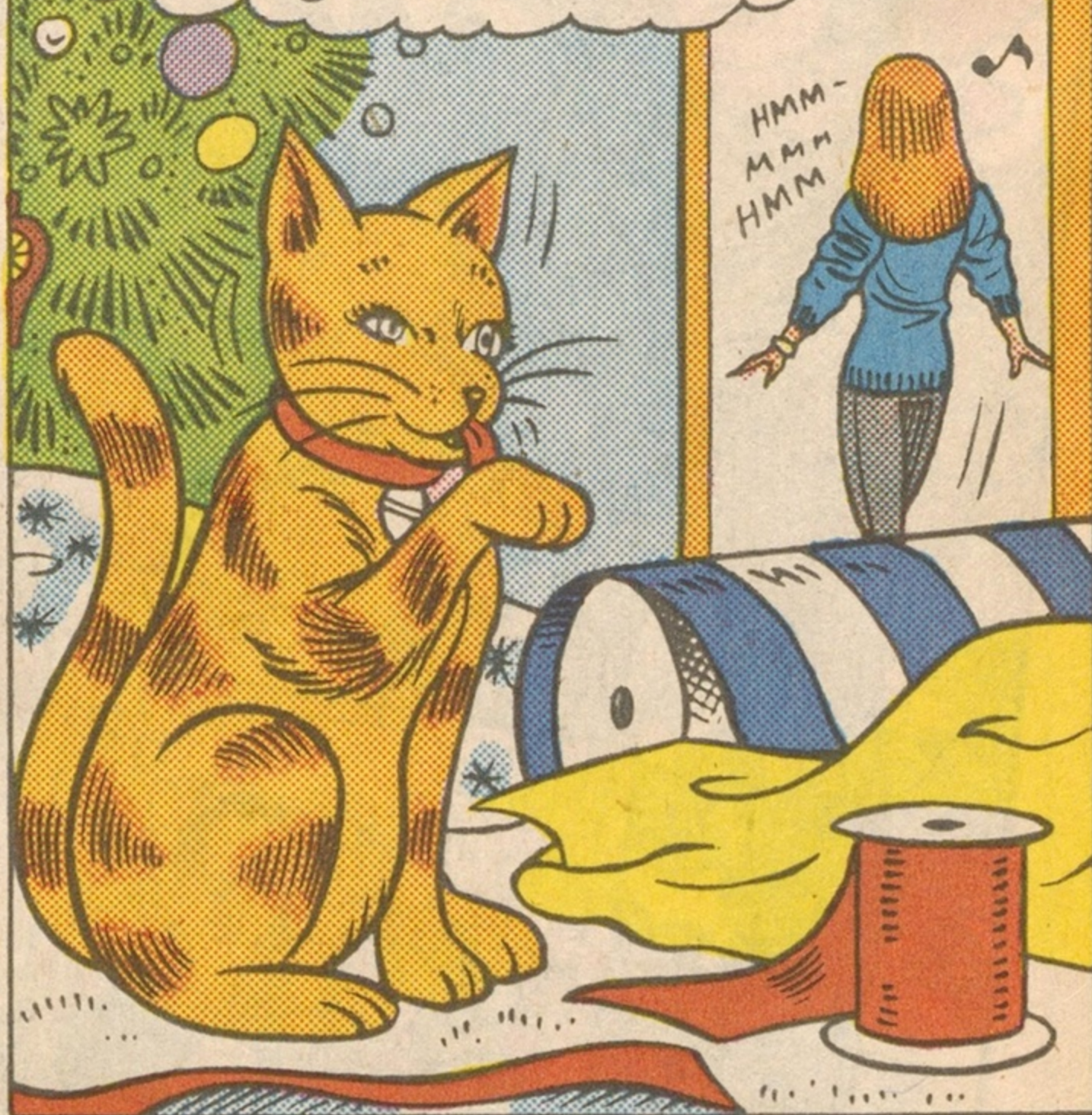
SIS & CLEO in
"THE

CAT'S MEOW⁹⁹

WHEW! CLEO, I THINK I'LL GO IN THE KITCHEN FOR SOME MILK AND COOKIES! WRAPPING GIFTS IS HUNGRY WORK!



HMM! LOOK AT ALL THE BEAUTIFUL WRAPPING PAPER AND THE BAUBLES AND BOWS! I CAN'T UNDERSTAND WHY PEOPLE PUT THIS ON THE **OUTSIDE** OF PACKAGES!

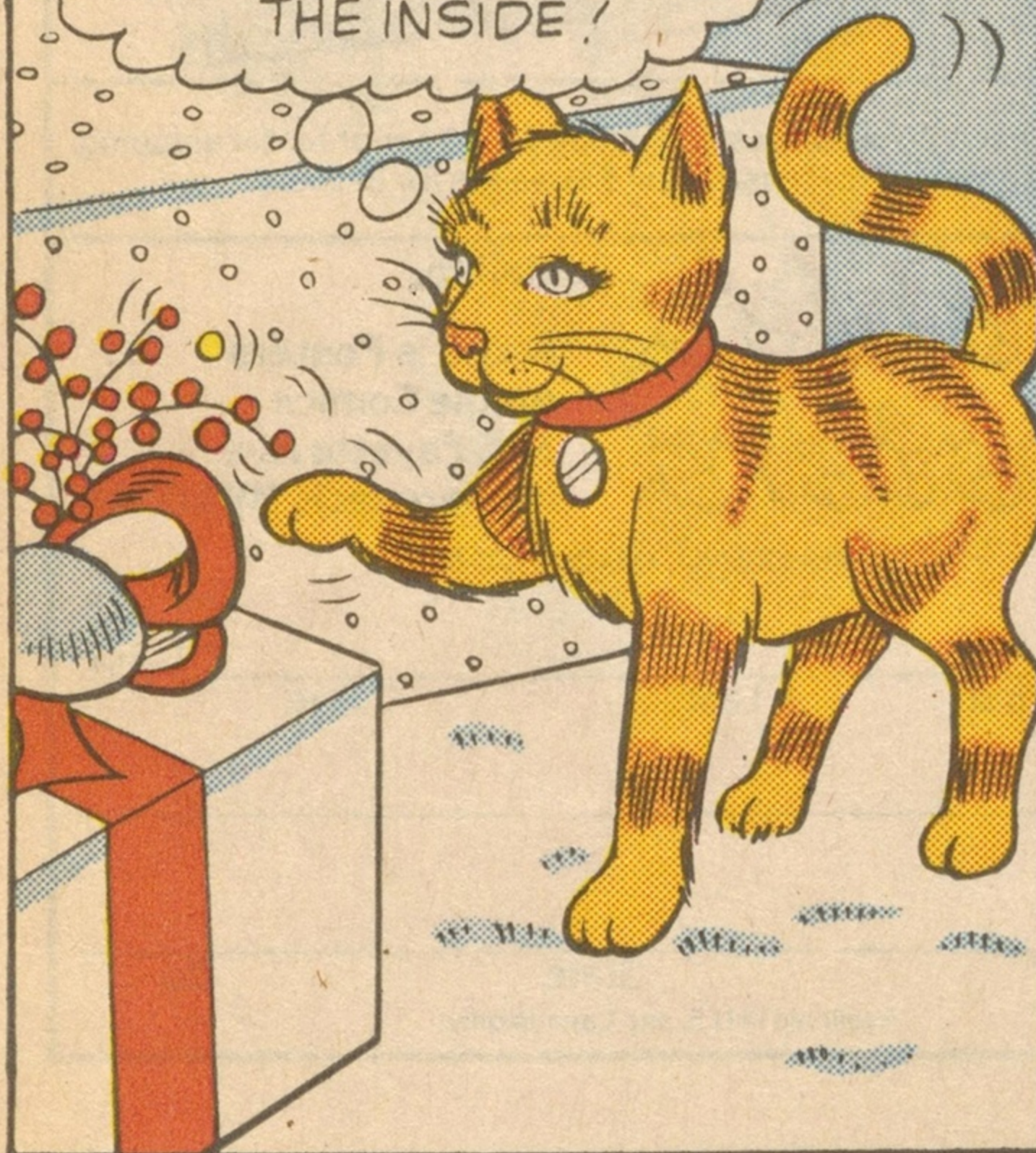


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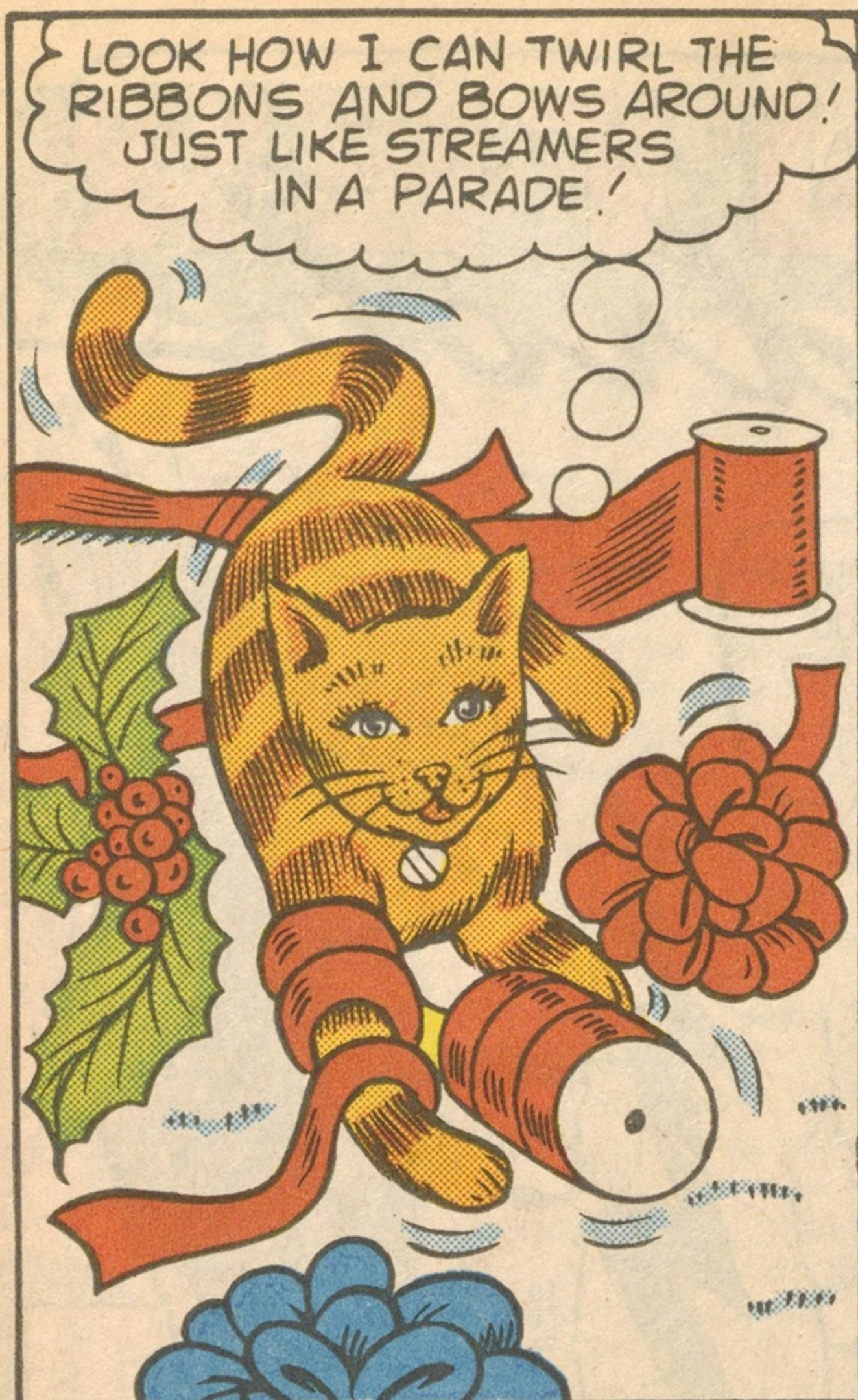
INKING - CHIC STONE

IT'S SO MUCH MORE FUN TO PLAY WITH THAN WHAT THEY PUT ON THE INSIDE!

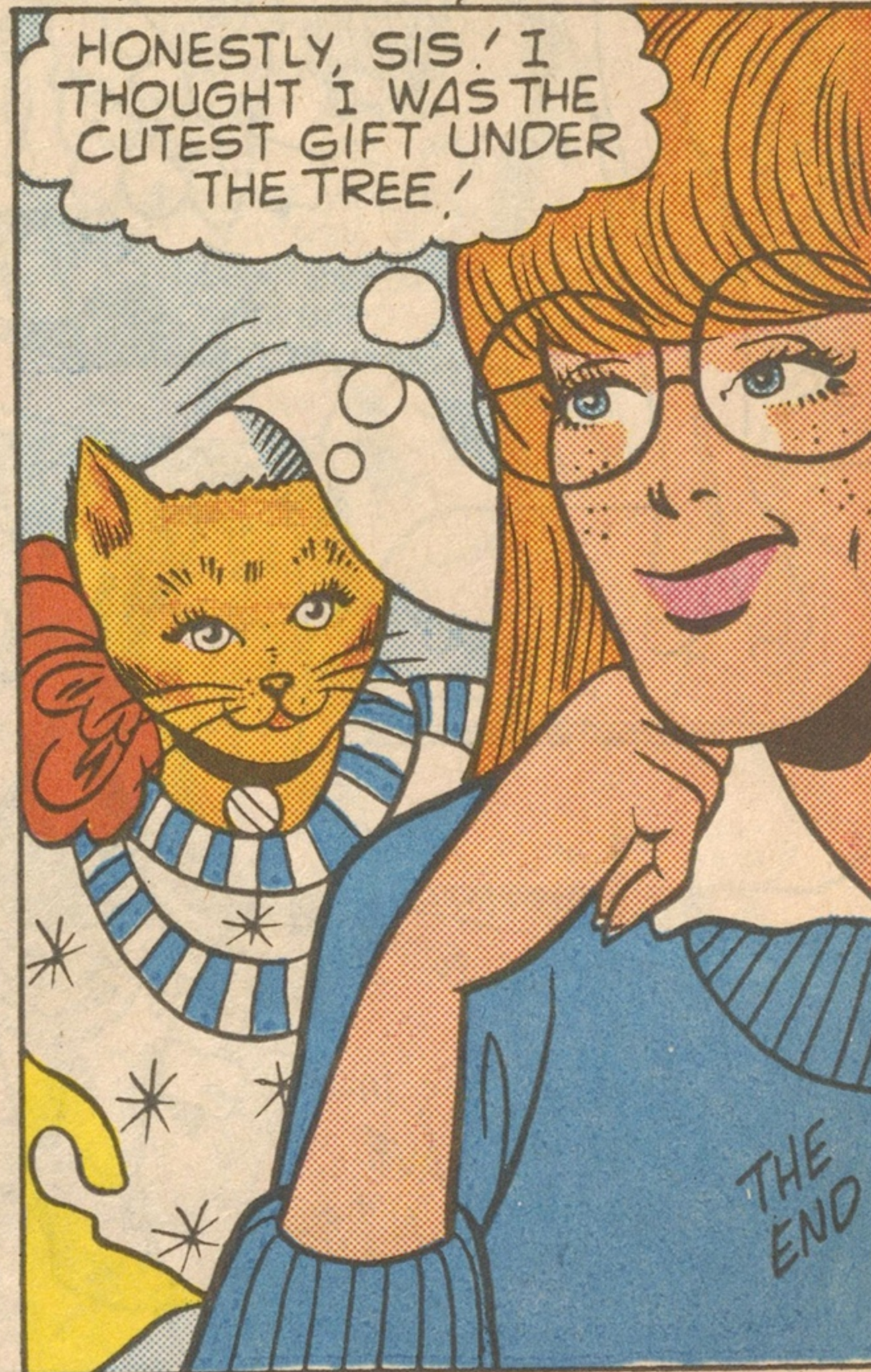


WHEE! ROLLING AROUND IN THIS CRINKLY, SHINY WRAPPING PAPER IS BETTER THAN A BARREL OF CATNIP!





SIS' HOLIDAY CASUALS - BY ANDREA NICOLE, ROCANVILLE, SASK, CAN.



★ WATCH FOR "THE NEW ARCHIES" CARTOON STARTING IN JANUARY. ★
 ★★ CHECK YOUR LOCAL TV LISTINGS FOR TIME AND CHANNEL. ★★

KATY
KEENE'S

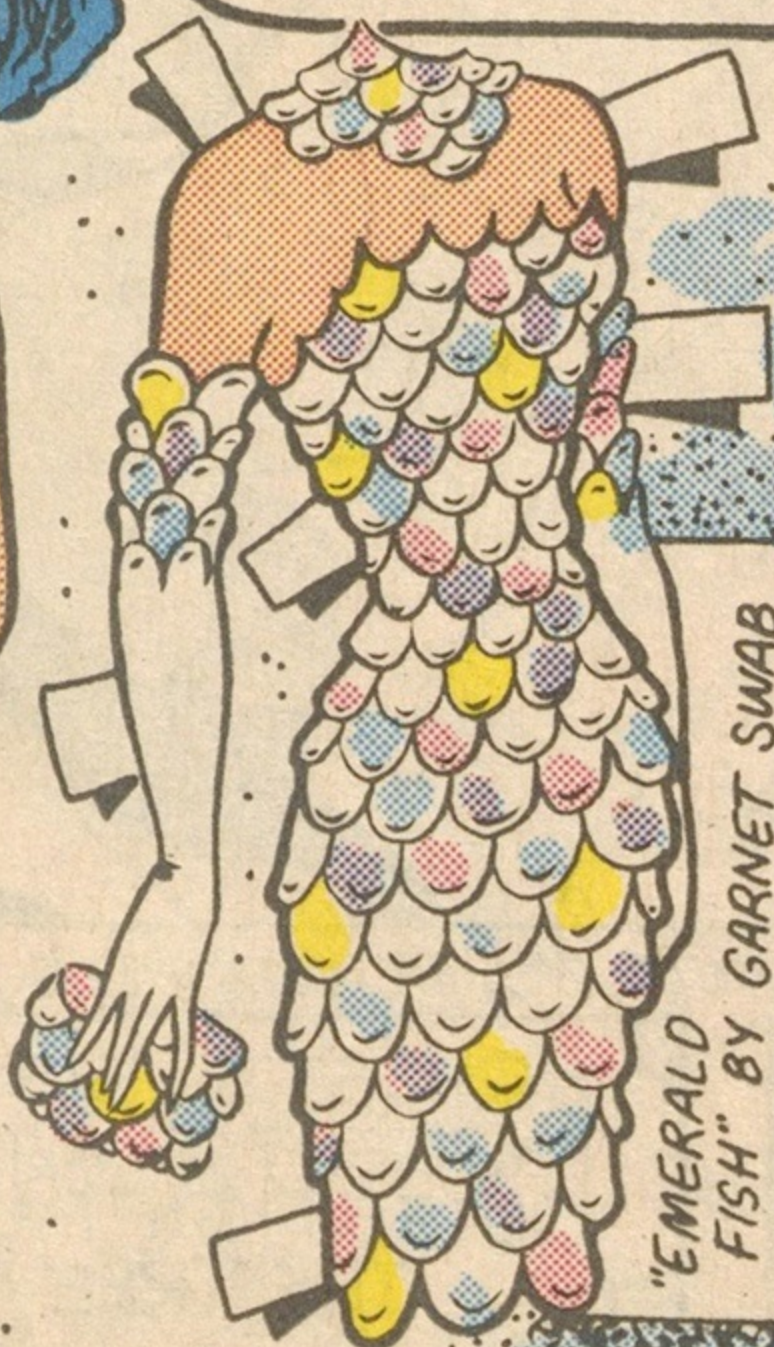
WINTER Wardrobe

HERE'S ANOTHER COLLECTION OF
WONDERFUL IDEAS FROM YOU
GREAT FANS! WHY NOT SEND
ME YOURS? MY ADDRESS IS
BELOW! HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!



"MALIBU SURPRISE" BY
CHRISTINE SCIACCA,
SYOSSET, N.Y.

-by
JOHN
LUCAS-



"EMERALD
FISH" BY GARNET SWAB,
MOCKSVILLE, N.C.



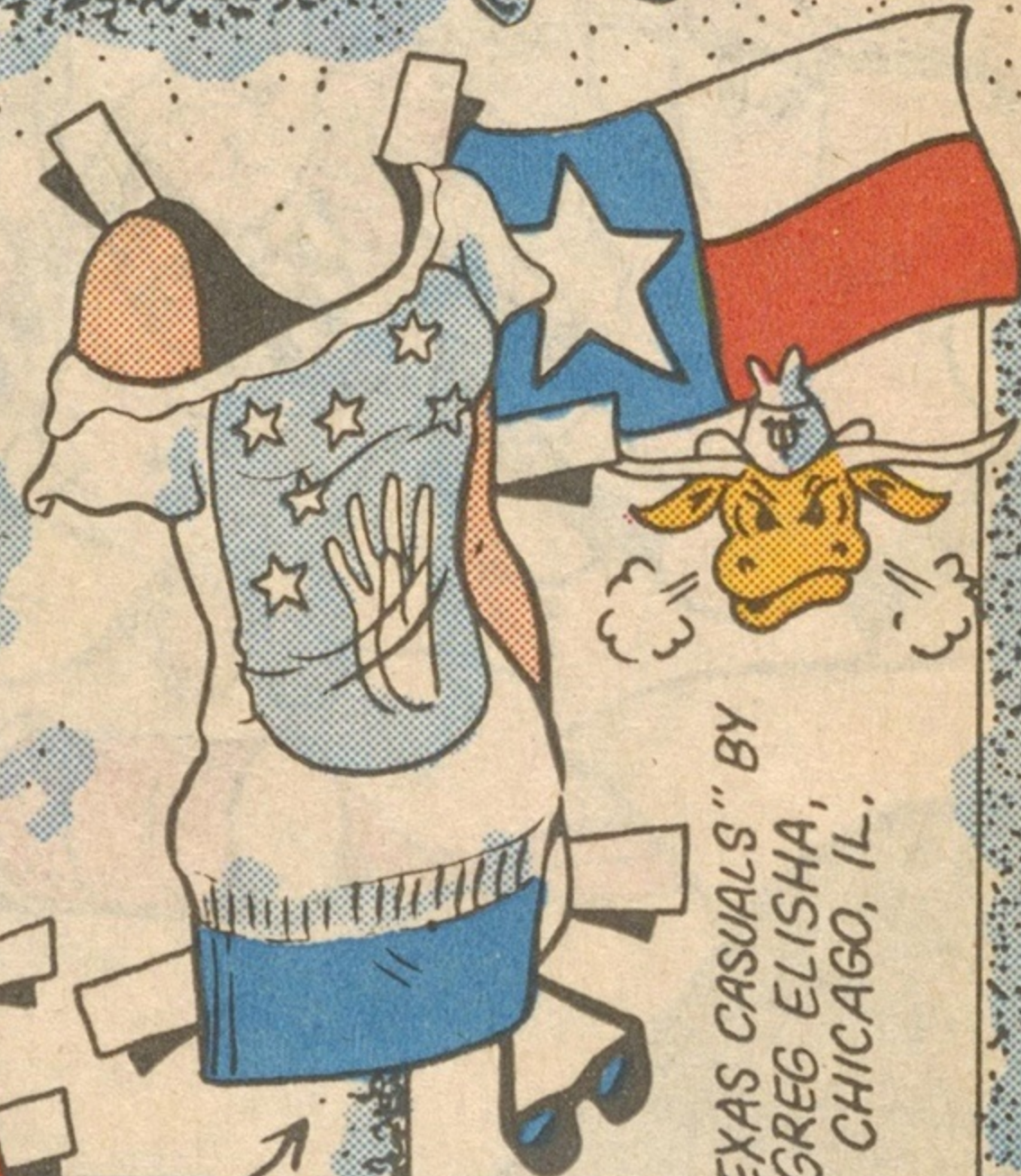
SWEATER ZIG-ZAG
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WEST CHESTER, PA.



"SPECIAL SPOTS" BY
BRENDA MINTZ,
BROOKLYN, N.Y.



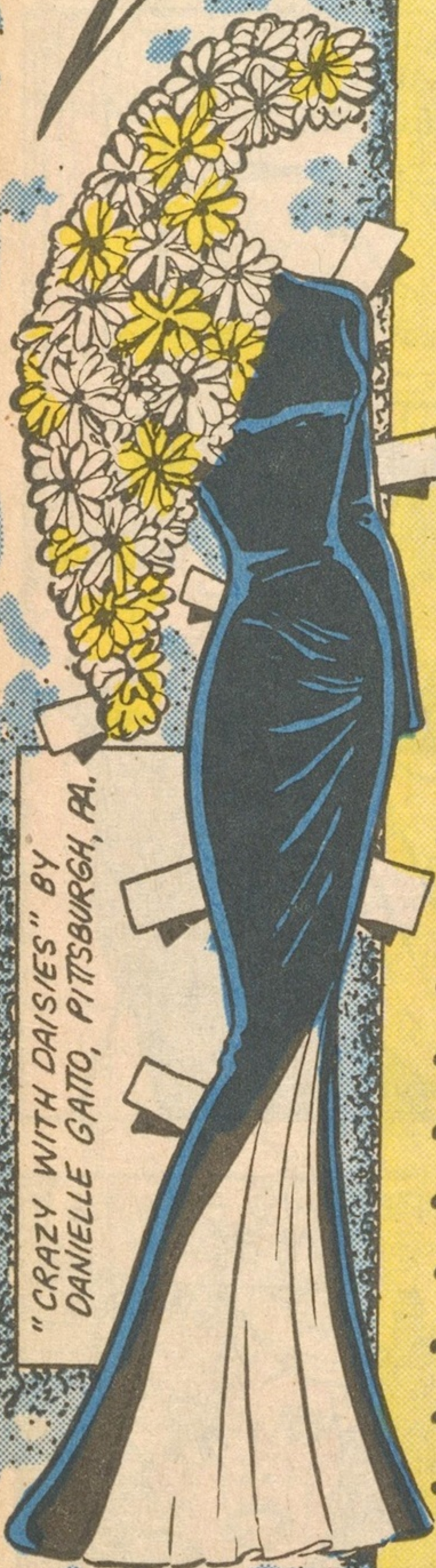
"CHANDELIER MAGIC"
BY JANGELA SHUMSKAS,
ACCOKEEK, MD.



"TEXAS CASUALS" BY
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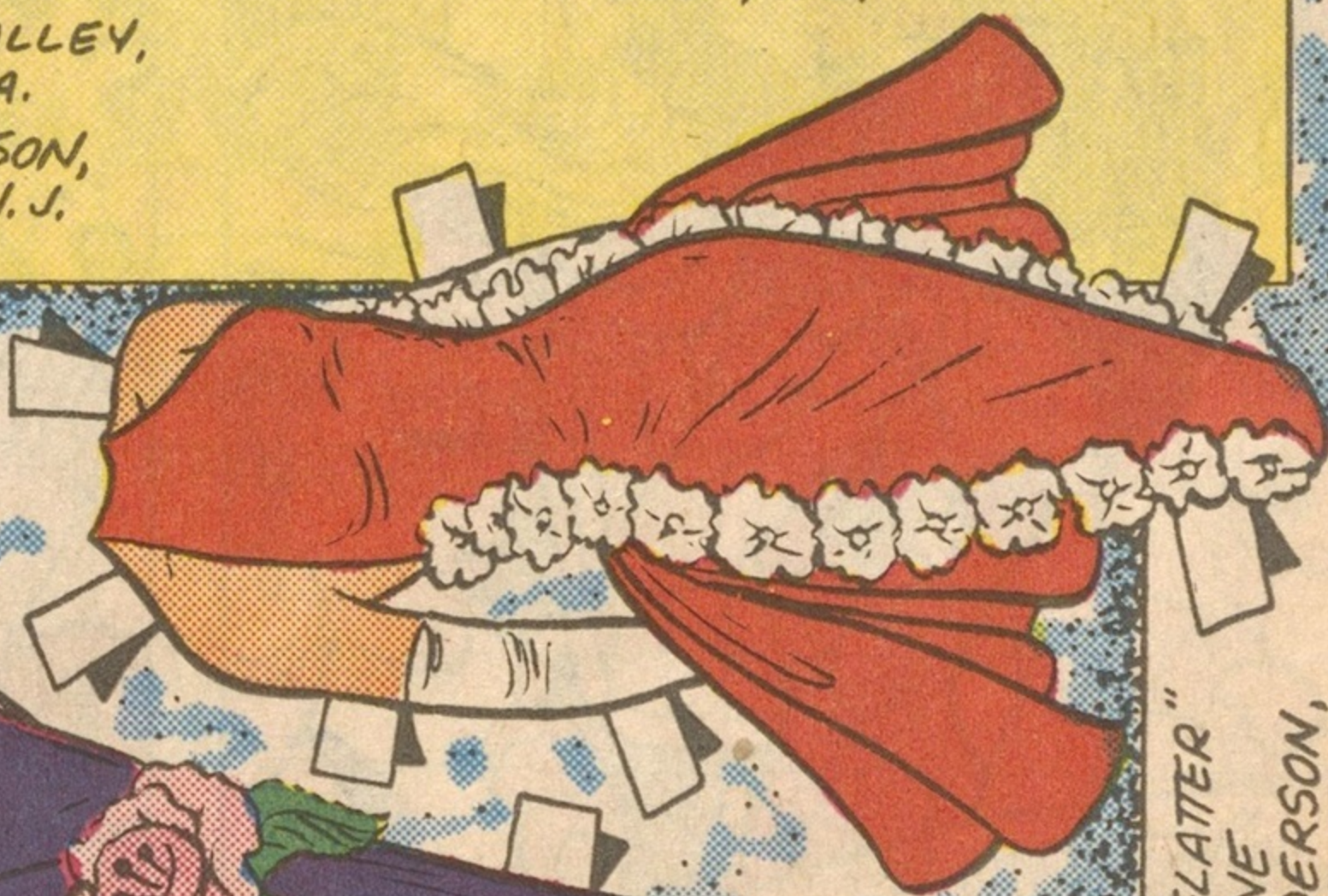
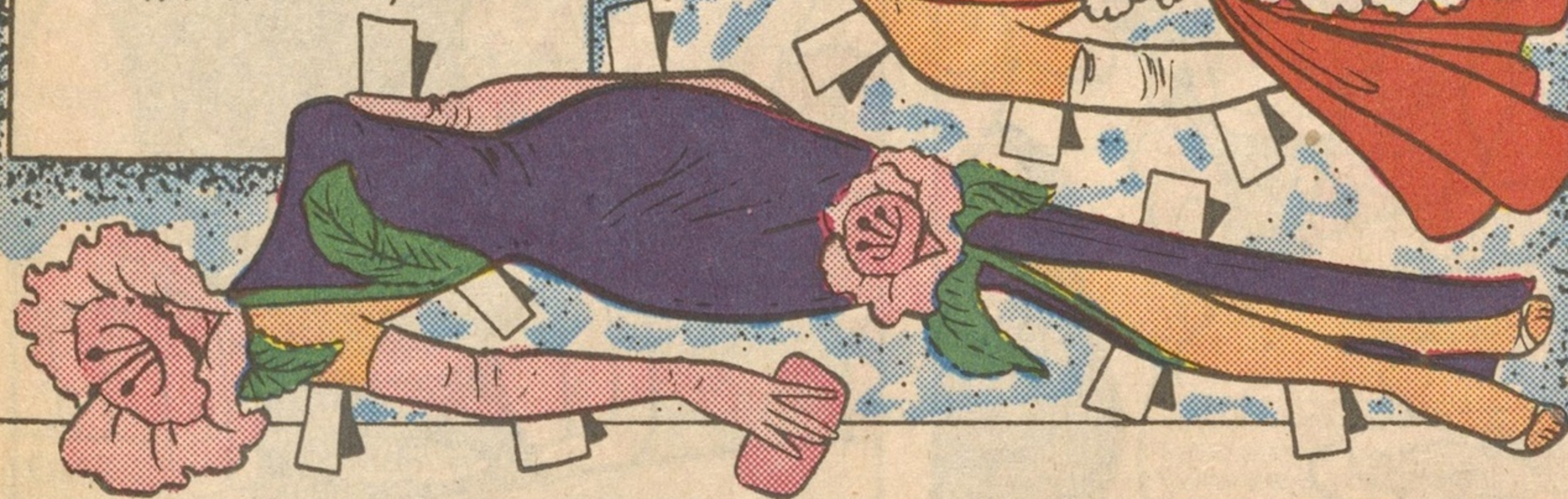


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EL TORO, CA.
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LONGWOOD, IL.
- DAWN WILLEVER,
POMPTON PALISADES, N.J.
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BOWDIONHAM, ME.
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MIAMI, FL.
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WILLIAMSTOWN, W.V.
- DAWN OSADCHUK,
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NORTH BAY, ONT., CAN.
- VANESSA TAYLOR,
KINGSTON, N.Y.
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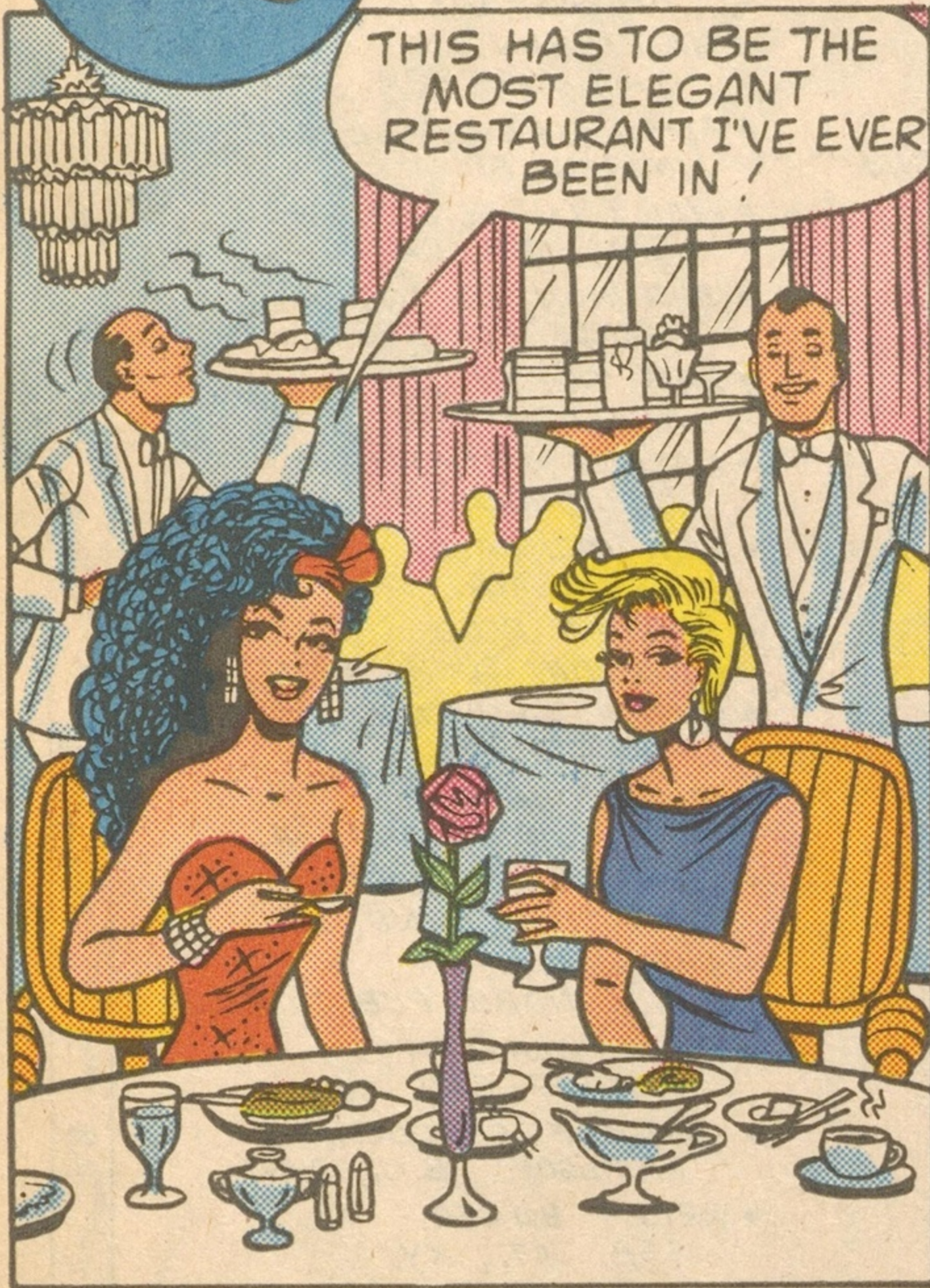


"FLORAL FLATTER"
BY CEIMONE
HENDERSON,
LITHONIA, GA.

KATY
and
GLORIA

in "Compliments TO THE Chef"

SCRIPT: RICHARD PIETRZYK PENCILLING: JOHN LUCAS INKING: CHIC STONE



FASHIONS BY: SHELLEY BETTENCOURT, PAICINES, CA.



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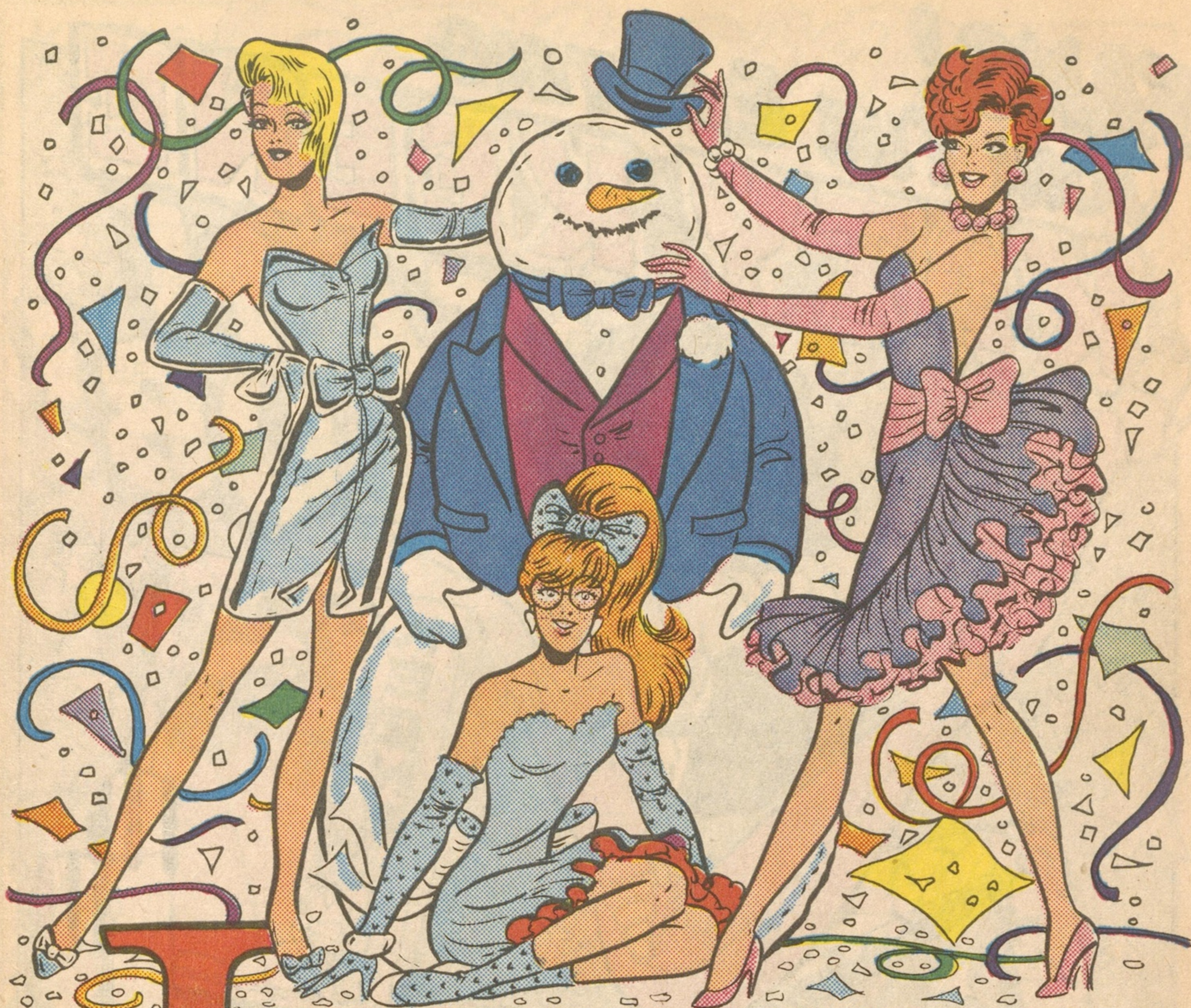


by
JOHN
LUCAS

KATY'S "NICE ON ICE" by
LILLIAN JOHNSTON,
BALDWIN, KANSAS

DECEMBER!

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JANUARY

JOHN
LUCAS

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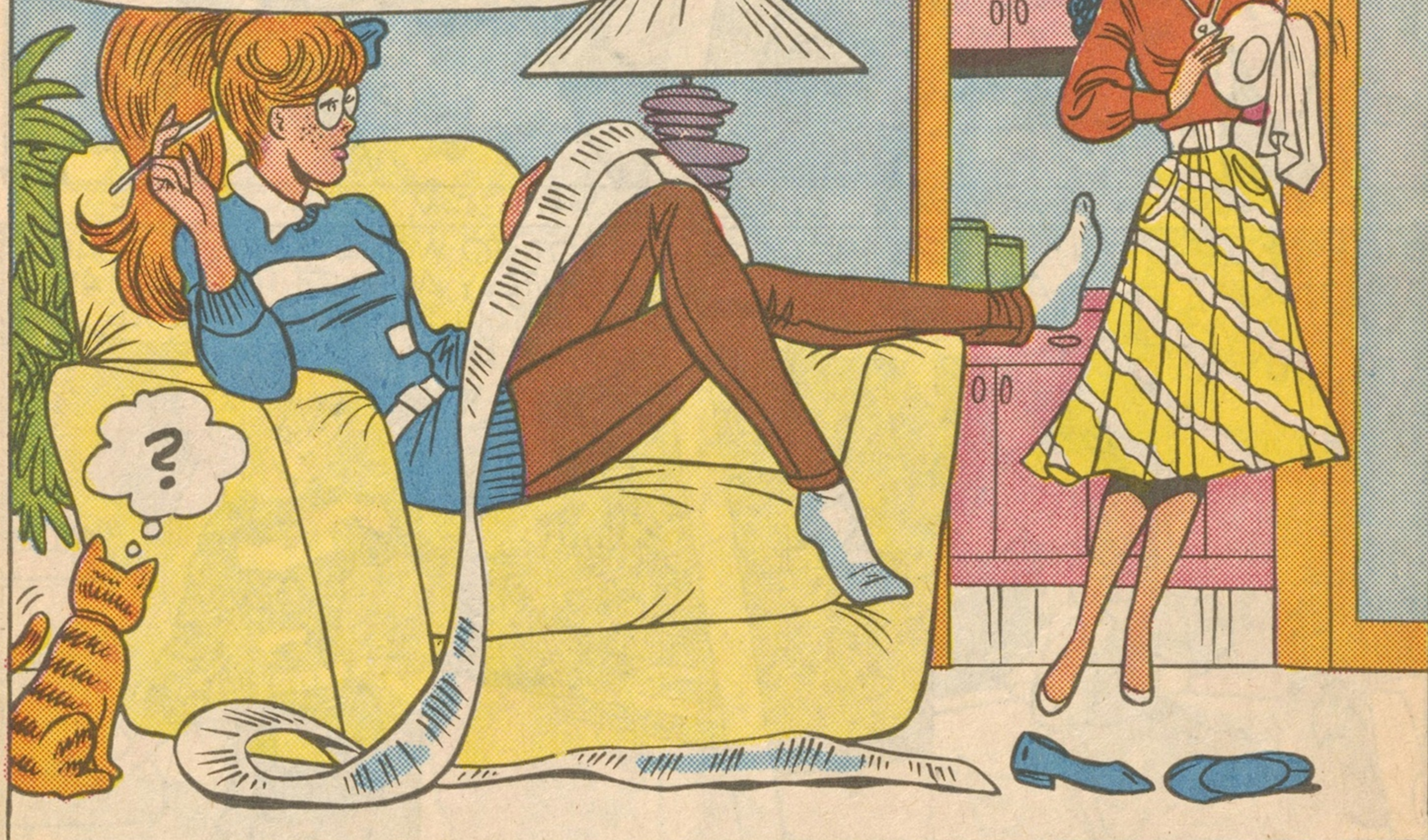
"GLORIA'S SILVER"
BY KIM MCNEIL,
DOLLARD DES ORMEAUX, QUEBEC, CAN.

"SIS IN SKY BLUE" BY
JULIA MORGAN,
MONTREAL, QUEBEC, CAN.

"LUCKY'S NIGHT OUT" BY
KRISTA CLARK,
NORTH BAY, ONTARIO, CAN.

"Cheer" FOR THE NEW YEAR

SIS, YOU'VE BEEN BUSY WRITING ALL MORNING! - ARE YOU MAKING A MAJOR ADDITION TO YOUR DIARY ABOUT THE NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY YOU WENT TO LAST NIGHT?



SCRIPT: RICHARD PIETRZYK PENCILLING: JOHN LUCAS INKING: CHIC STONE

NO! I'M MAKING A LIST OF NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS. I'VE NUMBERED EACH ONE AND ADDED BOXES TO SHOW WHICH ONES I KEEP OR BREAK!

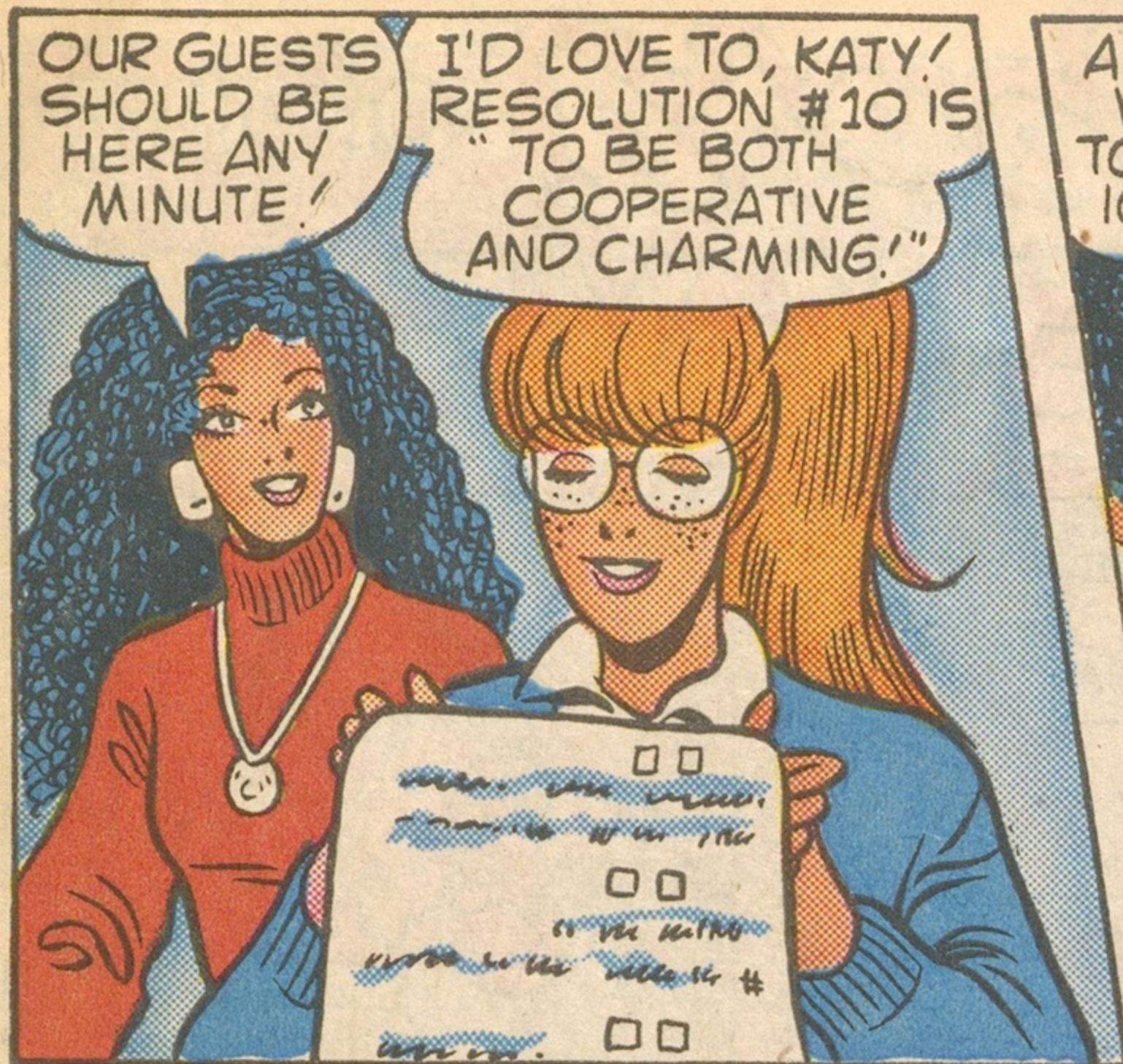
WELL, IT LOOKS LIKE YOU'RE WRITING THE SEQUEL TO "GONE WITH THE WIND"- I WAS GOING TO ASK IF YOU'D HELP WITH MY NEW YEAR'S DAY PARTY!

14 NO EATING BETWEEN MEALS ☐ ☐

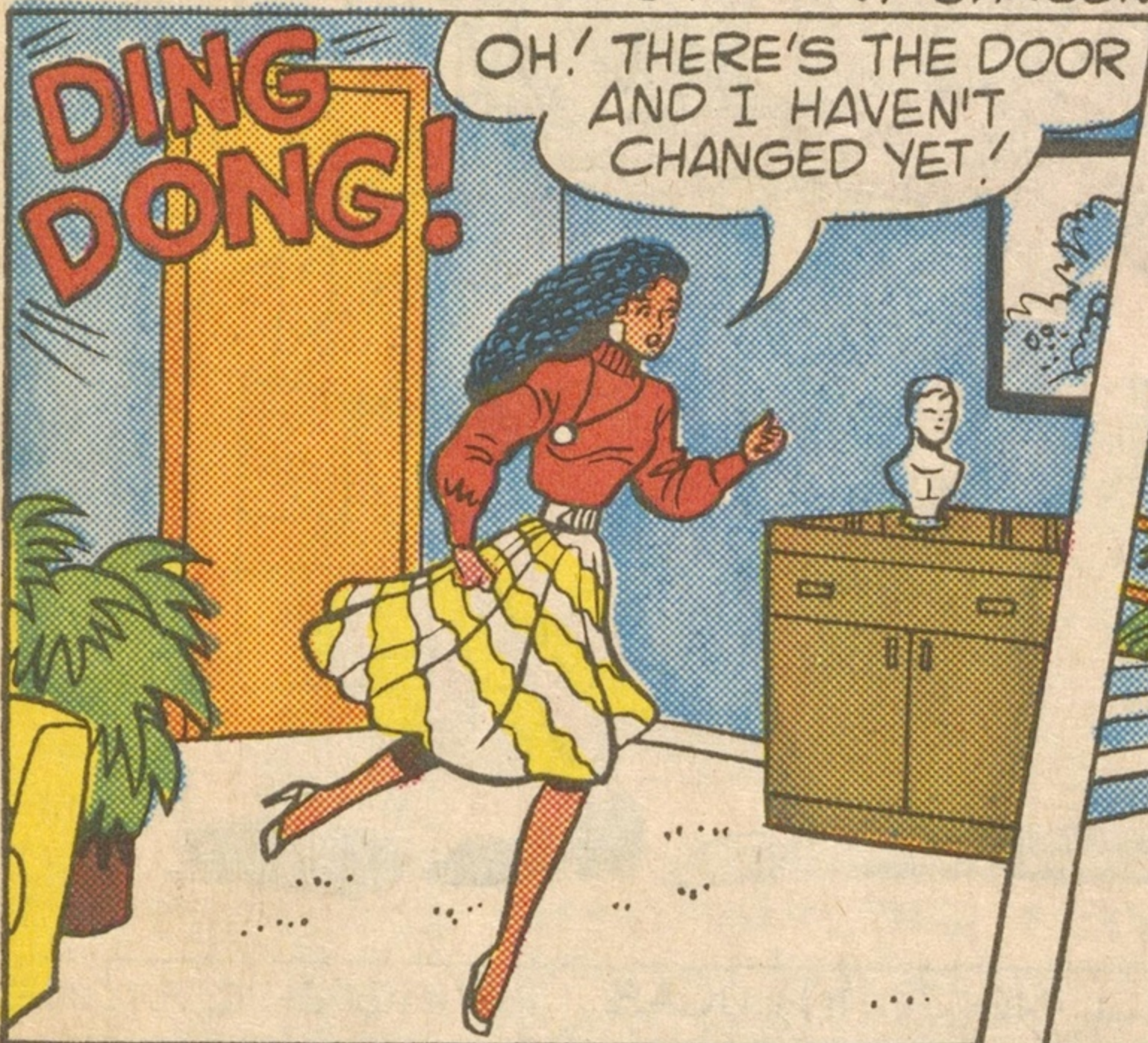
#15 NOT TV WHILE STUDYING ☐ ☐

#16 HELP KATY MORE AROUND HOUSE ☐ ☐

#17 WRITE UNCLE HANK AND AUNT SELMA MORE OFTEN ☐ ☐



KATY'S DRESS BY JANIS TURNER, GARSON, ONTARIO, CAN.



SIS' CASUALS BY: DANA KAPLAN, NEW YORK, N.Y.

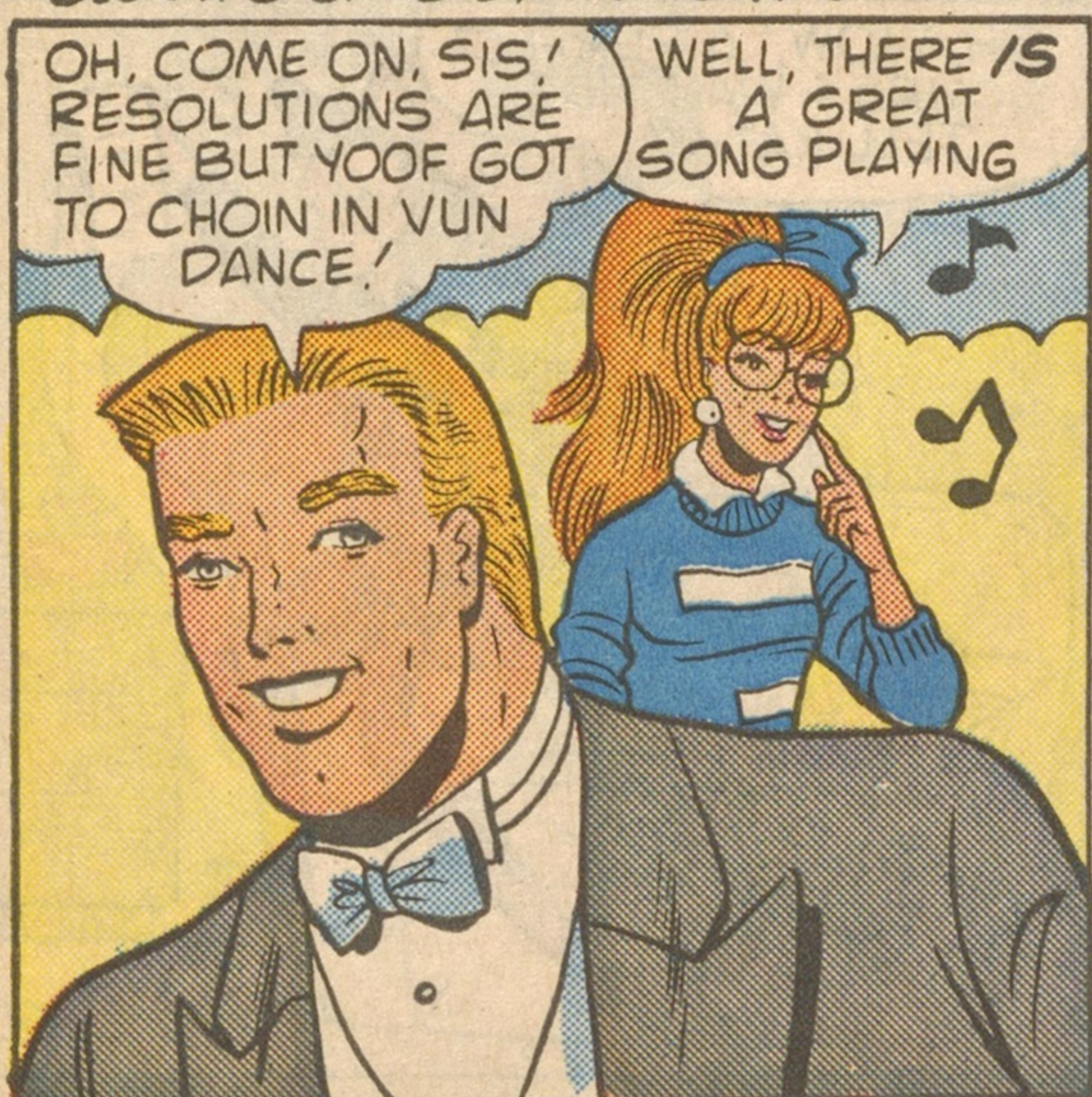
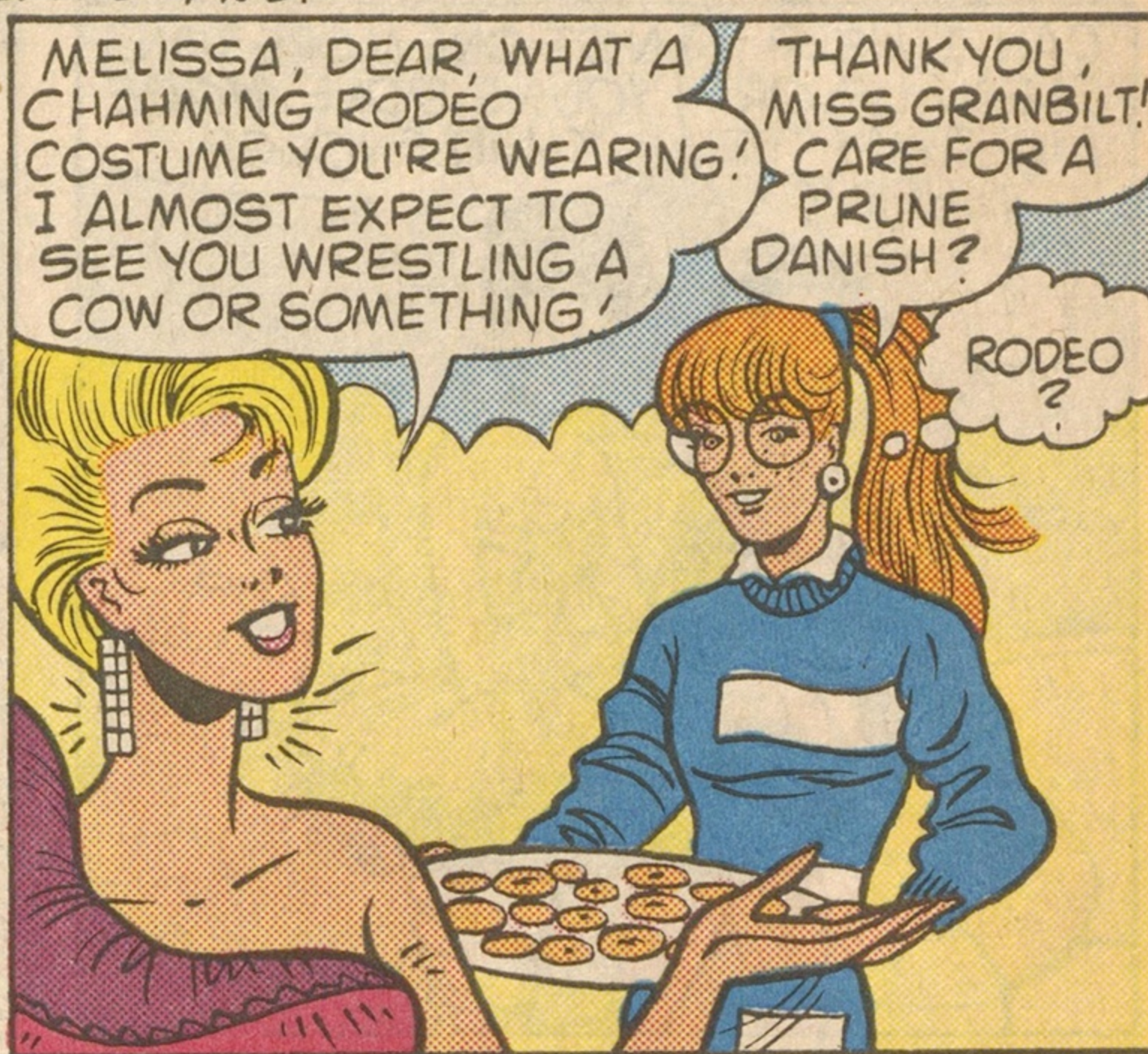




LUCKY'S FASHION BY: VALERI YOUNG, LAUREL, MD.



GLORIA'S GARB BY MELISSA CHAPIN, RICHMOND, VA.



ALL GOOD THINGS MUST COME TO AN
END, EVEN GREAT PARTIES---



EVERYTHING WENT STUPENDOUSLY
WELL, SIS! YOU'VE BEEN JUST
PERFECT! I DON'T KNOW WHAT
I'D HAVE DONE WITHOUT YOU!



RAMON'S SUIT BY: KATHRYN CHAYKIN, FAIRLESS HILLS, PA.

CAN I HELP
CLEAN-UP OR
PUT AWAY THE
DISHES?

NOT ONE MORE THING-
YOU'VE DONE **MORE**
THAN ENOUGH!

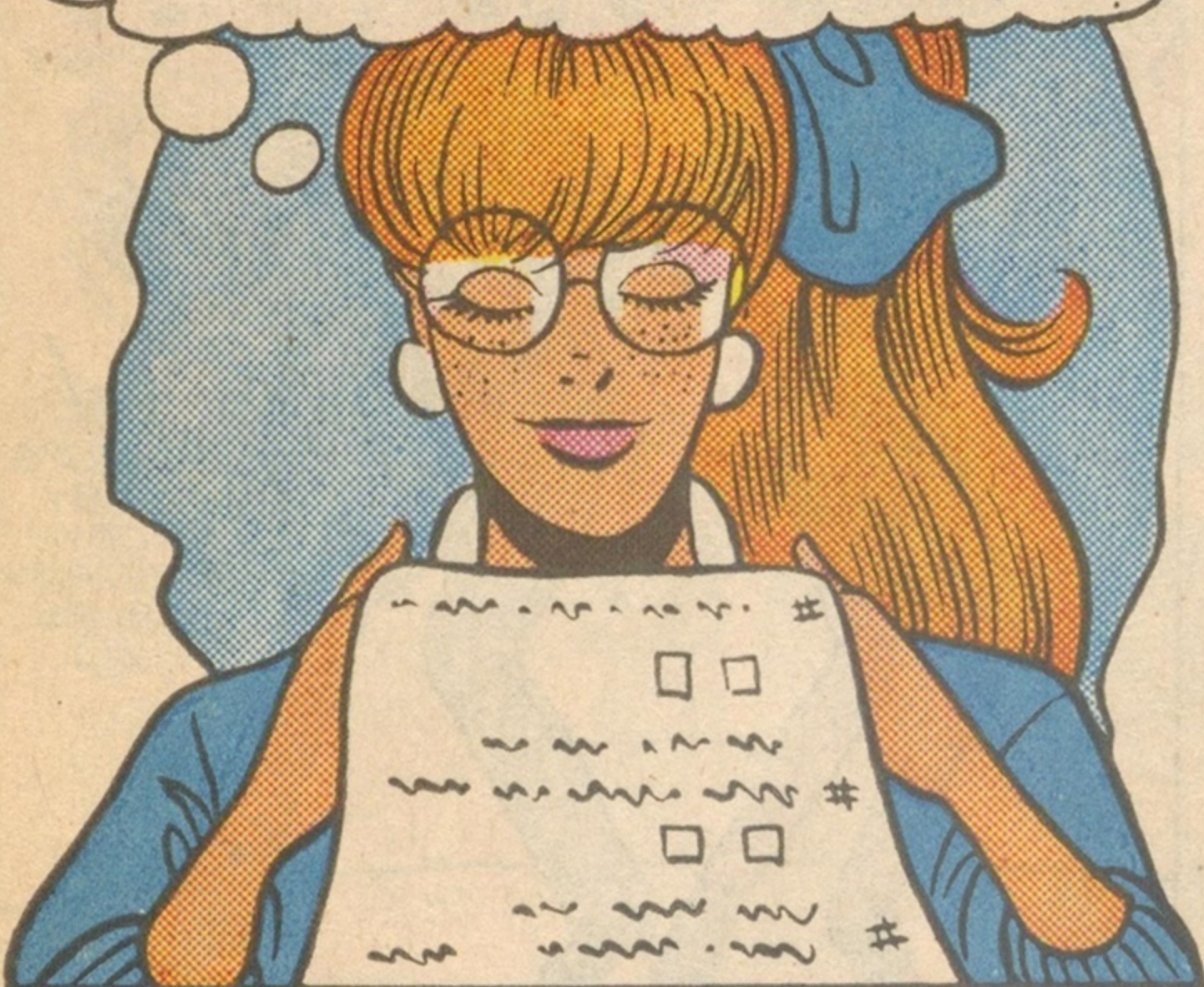


I WANT YOU TO SIT DOWN
AND JUST RELAX- I'M GOING
INTO THE KITCHEN TO PUT
AWAY THE DISHES!



KATY'S PARTY DRESS BY: LILLIAN JOHNSTON, BALDWIN, KS.

WHILE KATY'S DOING THAT I'M
GOING TO CHECK MY RESOLUTION
LIST TO SEE HOW I'VE DONE!



OH, WOW! A PERFECT
SCORE! WAIT'TIL I
TELL KATY!!

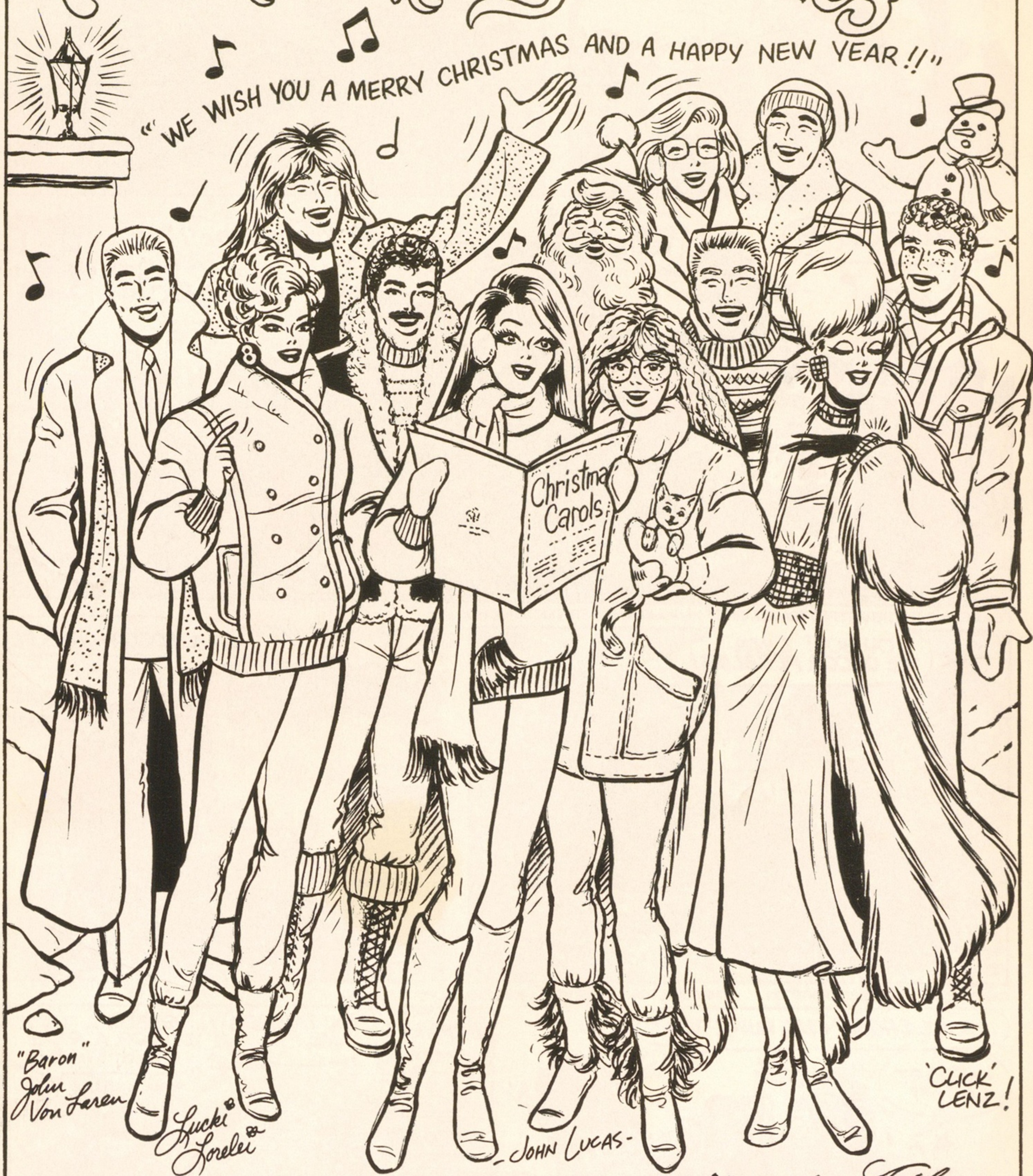




COLOR YOUR OWN PERSONAL CHRISTMAS CARD FROM THE GANG!

Season's Greetings

"WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!"



"Baron"
John
Von Laren

Lucky
Lorelei

JOHN LUCAS

'CLICK'
LENZ!

and all the best for 1989!!

Rock
Enroe

Ramon Ramirez

"SIS" (MELISSA
KEENE)
(+ CLEO)

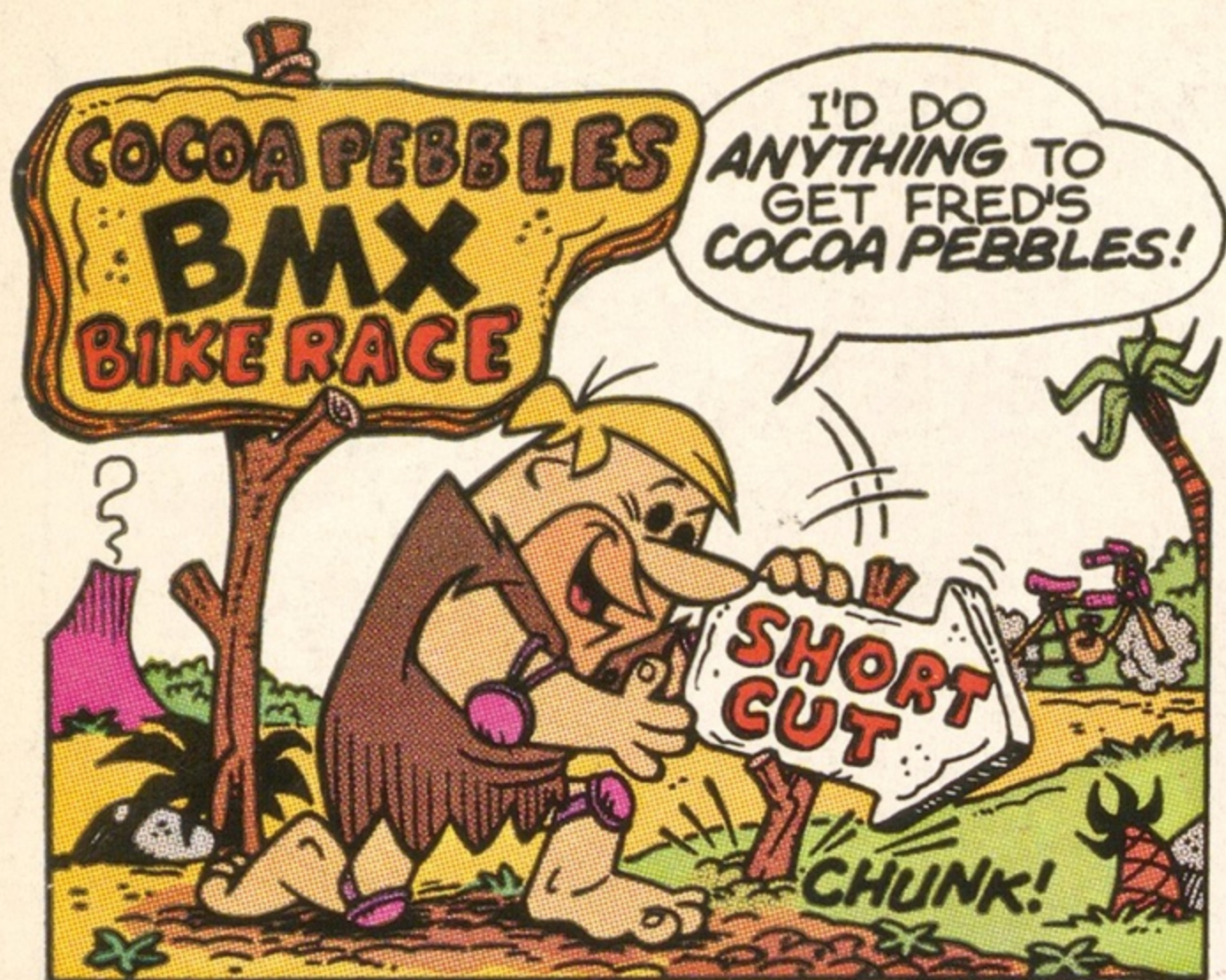
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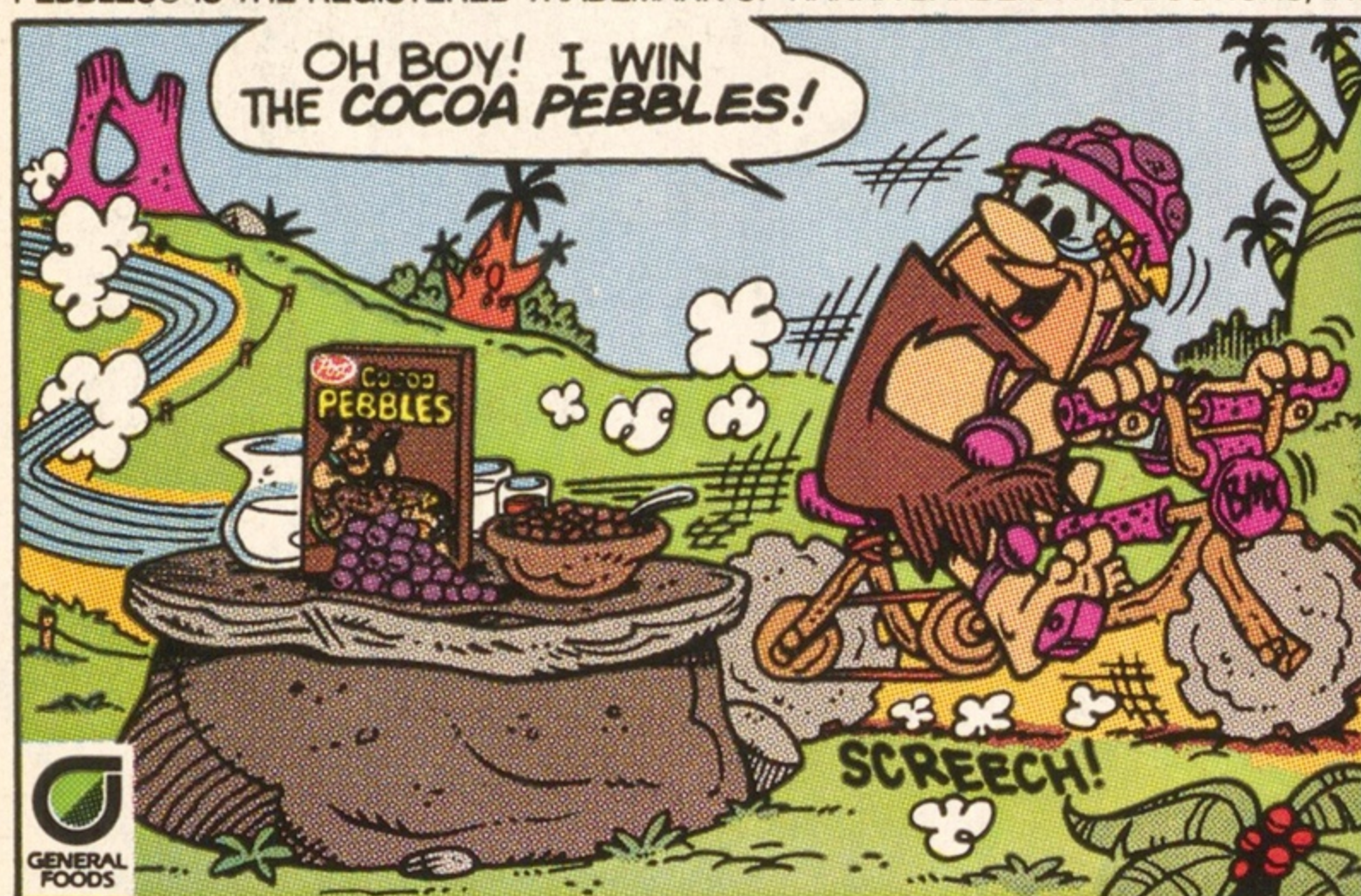
Selma & HANK KEENE
(KATY + SIS' AUNT AND UNCLE)

Katy
Keene

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